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Section I.—Population and Vital Statistics.

AREA AND POPULATION.

States and Territories.	Area—Square Miles.	Population (Exclusive of Full-blood Australian Aborigines).						
		Census—30th June, 1933.(a)			Census—4th April, 1921.			Population—Capital Cities, 30th June, 1933.
		Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
N.S.W. . .	309,432	1,318,728	1,282,376	2,601,104	1,071,501	1,028,870	2,100,371	1,235,367
Victoria..	87,884	903,399	916,961	1,820,360	754,724	776,556	1,531,280	992,048
Q'land. . .	670,500	497,394	450,395	947,789	398,969	357,003	755,972	299,782
S. Aust...	380,070	290,970	290,017	580,987	248,267	246,893	495,160	312,629
W. Aust.	975,920	234,000	204,948	438,948	177,278	155,454	332,732	207,464
Tasmania	26,215	115,141	112,464	227,605	107,743	106,037	213,780	60,408
N. Ter. . .	523,620	3,376	1,484	4,860	2,821	1,046	3,867	..
Fed. Cap. Territory	940	4,807	4,140	8,947	1,567	1,005	2,572	7,325
Total . .	2,974,581	3,367,815	3,262,785	6,630,600	2,762,870	2,672,864	5,435,734	3,115,023

(a) Final figures.

ESTIMATED POPULATION, EXCLUSIVE OF FULL-BLOOD ABORIGINES. (a)

31st Dec.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Nor. Ter.	Fed. Cap. Ter.(b)	Australia.
1900	1,360,305	1,196,213	493,847	357,250	179,967	172,900	4,857	..	3,765,339
1910	1,643,855	1,301,408	599,016	406,868	276,832	193,803	3,301	..	4,425,083
1927	2,400,266	1,741,390	899,176	575,771	392,292	215,862	4,361	5,736	6,234,854
1928	2,445,280	1,760,964	916,689	579,348	405,873	216,563	3,982	8,087	6,336,786
1929	2,477,585	1,777,065	930,871	580,271	416,763	219,065	4,470	8,282	6,414,372
1930	2,500,486	1,790,817	948,195	582,127	420,606	220,644	4,616	8,541	6,476,032
1931	2,517,758	1,801,294	963,711	584,968	421,609	223,390	4,458	8,732	6,525,920
1932	2,540,496	1,810,637	975,656	587,439	423,192	225,110	4,360	8,365	6,575,255

ESTIMATED MEAN POPULATION, EXCLUSIVE OF FULL-BLOOD ABORIGINES. (a)

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Nor. Ter.	Fed. Cap. Ter.(b)	Australia.
1901	1,363,373	1,203,137	501,432	357,343	188,135	172,525	4,765	..	3,790,710
1910	1,632,990	1,282,477	591,591	397,700	271,019	191,005	3,403	..	4,370,185
1927	2,372,643	1,727,413	891,908	571,098	385,011	209,994	4,234	7,342	6,169,643
1928	2,424,695	1,751,340	909,141	577,328	399,386	211,943	4,207	8,054	6,286,094
1929	2,462,922	1,769,126	924,864	579,503	411,437	213,763	4,178	8,384	6,374,177
1930	2,488,101	1,784,711	940,455	580,751	418,627	216,493	4,650	8,789	6,442,577
1931	2,508,537	1,797,185	957,559	583,504	420,794	219,946	4,592	8,617	6,500,734
1932	2,529,791	1,806,106	970,855	586,033	422,436	221,797	4,511	8,730	6,550,259

(a) Adjustments to the figures for the years 1927 to 1932 in accordance with the results of the recent census are necessary, and the adjusted figures will be published in the next issue of this Summary. (b) Prior to 1911, part of New South Wales.

## ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION.

States and Territories.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	First Six Months of—	
						1932.	1933.

## NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS).

New South Wales	32,134	28,089	30,893	26,451	23,552	12,279	12,181
Victoria.. ..	16,790	16,887	17,168	13,299	10,659	5,754	6,007
Queensland ..	11,807	10,177	11,484	10,308	9,554	5,121	4,922
South Australia ..	6,261	5,626	5,133	4,191	3,564	1,984	2,464
Western Australia	5,064	5,121	5,426	4,868	4,250	2,256	2,300
Tasmania ..	2,559	2,621	2,838	2,705	2,469	1,239	1,165
Northern Territory	12	-12	-6	2	6	11	-2
Federal Capital Territory ..	73	114	132	125	124	64	48
Total ..	74,700	68,623	73,068	61,949	54,178	28,708	29,085

## NET IMMIGRATION (EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION OVER EMIGRATION).

Recorded figures. The figures will be adjusted in accordance with the results of the Census of the 30th June, 1933, in next issue of the Quarterly Summary.

New South Wales	13,535	5,062	-7,340	-9,154	-1,192	-2,423	-4,275
Victoria.. ..	3,744	183	-2,430	-1,985	-475	-1,313	1,021
Queensland ..	3,863	2,171	4,013	3,361	546	3,268	3,932
South Australia ..	-2,322	-4,339	-2,913	-1,013	-756	-696	-497
Western Australia	9,469	6,717	-622	-2,929	-1,744	-901	156
Tasmania ..	-1,489	247	-892	404	-385	-3,348	-4,205
Northern Territory	-350	540	193	-118	-63	56	69
Federal Capital Territory ..	2,574	192	403	604	400	481	329
Total ..	29,024	10,773	-9,588	-10,830	-3,669	-4,876	-3,470

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes excess of Deaths over Births and of Emigration over Immigration.

## TOTAL ESTIMATED INCREASE.

This table has been omitted pending the completion of intercensal adjustments over the period 1921-33.

## BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES.

Quarter ended 30th June, 1933.

States and Territories.	Births.			Deaths.			Marriages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
New South Wales..	5,729	5,487	11,216	3,150	2,278	5,428	4,905
Victoria ..	3,656	3,425	7,081	2,265	1,923	4,188	3,331
Queensland ..	2,237	2,197	4,434	1,118	811	1,929	1,731
South Australia ..	1,236	1,111	2,347	614	524	1,138	1,122
Western Australia	1,071	993	2,064	553	317	870	901
Tasmania ..	575	518	1,093	308	248	556	437
Northern Territory	12	8	20	18	3	21	6
Federal Capital Territory ..	13	18	31	4	4	8	12
Total ..	14,529	13,757	28,286	8,030	6,108	14,138	12,445

States and Territories.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	First Six Months of—	
						1932.	1933.

## BIRTHS—NUMBER.

New South Wales	54,791	52,671	52,128	47,721	44,895	22,582	22,526
Victoria ..	34,498	33,604	33,127	30,332	27,464	13,759	14,026
Queensland ..	19,783	18,486	18,939	17,833	17,367	8,873	8,714
South Australia ..	11,408	10,665	9,984	9,079	8,521	4,362	4,657
Western Australia	8,704	9,051	9,200	8,549	7,965	4,115	4,146
Tasmania ..	4,691	4,797	4,786	4,762	4,491	2,164	2,199
Northern Territory	83	53	71	72	79	39	36
Federal Capital Territory ..	120	153	164	161	151	79	65
Total ..	134,078	129,480	128,399	118,509	110,933	55,973	56,369

## BIRTH RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

Omitted pending the completion of intercensal adjustments to Mean Population.



## POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES—*continued.*

States and Territories.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	First Six Months of—	
						1932.	1933.

## DEATHS—NUMBER.

New South Wales	22,657	24,582	21,235	21,270	21,343	10,303	10,345
Victoria ..	17,708	16,717	15,959	17,033	16,805	8,005	8,019
Queensland ..	7,976	8,309	7,455	7,525	7,813	3,752	3,792
South Australia ..	5,147	5,039	4,851	4,888	4,957	2,378	2,193
Western Australia	3,640	3,930	3,774	3,681	3,715	1,859	1,846
Tasmania ..	2,132	2,176	1,948	2,057	2,022	925	1,034
Northern Territory	71	65	77	70	73	28	38
Federal Capital Territory ..	47	39	32	36	27	15	17
Total ..	59,378	60,857	55,331	56,560	56,755	27,265	27,284

## DEATH RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

Omitted pending the completion of intercensal adjustments to Mean Population.

## MARRIAGES—NUMBER.

New South Wales	20,075	19,535	17,383	15,377	17,362	8,669	9,544
Victoria ..	13,186	12,936	11,641	10,182	11,747	5,781	6,203
Queensland ..	6,322	6,169	6,199	5,951	6,415	3,141	3,278
South Australia ..	4,146	3,719	3,312	3,069	3,636	1,863	2,041
Western Australia	3,309	3,367	3,205	2,741	2,904	1,575	1,698
Tasmania ..	1,502	1,712	1,450	1,501	1,505	775	819
Northern Territory	23	20	31	25	22	10	11
Federal Capital Territory ..	29	43	34	36	43	21	20
Total ..	48,592	47,501	43,255	38,882	43,634	21,835	23,614

BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES—*continued.*

States and Territories.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	First Six Months of—	
						1932.	1933.

## MARRIAGE RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

Omitted pending the completion of intercensal adjustments to Mean Population.

## DEATHS OF CHILDREN UNDER 1 YEAR OF AGE.

New South Wales	3,001	2,973	2,598	2,075	1,842	953	861
Victoria..	1,919	1,587	1,544	1,349	1,181	607	527
Queensland ..	901	851	757	652	698	359	351
South Australia ..	542	436	483	330	313	156	130
Western Australia ..	419	508	430	355	355	191	176
Tasmania ..	300	255	242	219	182	66	85
Northern Territory	5	1	5	6	6	4	5
Federal Capital Territory ..	14	5	6	6	4	1	5
Total ..	7,101	6,616	6,065	4,992	4,581	2,337	2,140

## INFANTILE MORTALITY—PER 1,000 BIRTHS.

New South Wales	54.77	56.44	49.84	43.48	41.03	42.20	38.22
Victoria..	55.63	47.23	46.61	44.47	43.00	44.12	37.57
Queensland ..	45.54	46.03	39.97	36.56	40.19	40.46	40.28
South Australia ..	47.51	40.88	48.38	36.35	36.73	35.76	27.92
Western Australia ..	48.14	56.13	46.74	41.53	44.57	36.42	42.45
Tasmania ..	63.95	53.16	50.56	45.99	40.53	30.50	38.65
Northern Territory	60.24	18.87	70.42	83.33	75.95	102.56	138.89
Federal Capital Territory (a) ..	83.33	19.61	24.39	37.27	19.87	12.66	61.54
Total ..	52.96	51.10	47.24	42.12	41.30	41.75	37.96

(a) Based on deaths of infants born in the Federal Capital Territory only.

## ESTIMATED MIGRATION—AUSTRALIA.

Recorded figures. The figures will be adjusted in accordance with the results of the Census of the 30th June, 1933, and will be published in the next issue of the Quarterly Summary.

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.			Excess of (a) over (b).
	Males.	Females.	Persons. (a)	Males.	Females.	Persons. (b)	
1927 ..	69,540	47,883	117,423	37,941	28,879	66,820	50,603
1928 ..	55,921	43,871	99,792	39,817	30,951	70,768	29,024
1929 ..	44,508	37,740	82,248	40,194	31,281	71,475	10,773
1930 ..	33,881	29,212	63,093	41,462	31,219	72,681	— 9,588c
1931 ..	21,986	18,428	40,414	30,708	20,536	51,244	—10,830c
1932 ..	22,637	19,360	41,997	25,151	20,515	45,666	— 3,669c
1932 (9 mths.)	16,506	13,626	30,132	19,128	15,400	34,528	— 4,396c
1933 (9 mths.)	18,023	16,922	34,945	19,985	17,877	37,862	— 2,917c

(c) Excess of Departures over Arrivals.

## MIGRATION—AUSTRALIA.

ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to Nationality or Race of Persons who arrived or departed.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Nine Months.		Nine Months.	
	1932.	1933.	1932.	1933.
<b>European Race—</b>				
British .. .. .	25,120	29,747	28,703	32,354
Danish .. .. .	30	28	48	56
Dutch .. .. .	88	57	73	71
Finnish .. .. .	2	6	24	29
French .. .. .	368	483	405	510
German .. .. .	164	198	154	164
Greek .. .. .	113	186	250	209
Italian .. .. .	750	900	971	756
Maltese (British) .. .. .	36	12	107	49
Norwegian .. .. .	10	26	24	40
Swedish .. .. .	33	43	35	43
Russian .. .. .	46	48	71	56
Swiss .. .. .	39	70	85	58
United States .. .. .	572	659	656	694
Yugoslav .. .. .	161	137	226	88
Others of European Race .. .. .	218	295	259	294
<b>Total, European Race .. .. .</b>	<b>27,750</b>	<b>32,895</b>	<b>32,091</b>	<b>35,471</b>
<b>Non-European—</b>				
Afghans .. .. .	1	..	1	1
Armenians .. .. .	..	2	..	1
Chinese .. .. .	1,340	1,115	1,625	1,523
Filipinos .. .. .	4	1	5	5
Japanese .. .. .	307	201	238	244
Malays .. .. .	77	60	10	25
Natives of East Indies .. .. .	85	129	7	1
Natives of India and Ceylon .. .. .	244	242	226	256
Siamese .. .. .	2	..	1	..
Syrians .. .. .	23	37	20	32
Other Asiatics .. .. .	12	34	40	49
Negroes, African .. .. .	1	..	..	..
"    American .. .. .	2	..	..	..
Papuans .. .. .	225	181	219	195
Polynesians, Melanesians .. .. .	55	39	35	49
Other Non-European Races .. .. .	4	9	10	10
<b>Total, Non-European Races .. .. .</b>	<b>2,382</b>	<b>2,050</b>	<b>2,437</b>	<b>2,391</b>
<b>TOTAL, ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES..</b>	<b>30,132</b>	<b>34,945</b>	<b>34,528</b>	<b>37,862</b>

## MIGRATION—AUSTRALIA.

ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to the Countries whence the Persons arrived or to which they departed.

Country.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Nine Months.		Nine Months.	
	1932.	1933.	1932.	1933.
Great Britain .. .. .	5,758	5,807	12,951	11,723
Canada .. .. .	314	260	434	293
Fiji .. .. .	678	920	815	970
Hong Kong .. .. .	1,191	1,220	1,637	1,553
India and Ceylon .. .. .	1,646	1,743	1,332	1,381
New Zealand .. .. .	12,748	12,651	8,842	9,472
Norfolk Island .. .. .	136	208	114	213
Papua .. .. .	562	1,147	583	1,230
Solomon Islands .. .. .	312	319	283	374
South African Union .. .. .	650	593	553	590
Straits Settlements .. .. .	1,074	1,262	1,002	1,233
Territory of New Guinea .. .. .	845	1,004	1,027	1,403
Other British Possessions .. .. .	178	201	331	233
<b>Total, British Countries .. .. .</b>	<b>26,092</b>	<b>27,335</b>	<b>29,904</b>	<b>30,668</b>
Egypt .. .. .	282	370	495	459
France .. .. .	647	753	837	1,033
Germany .. .. .	21	26	23	28
Italy .. .. .	952	1,206	1,209	1,078
Japan .. .. .	403	439	460	663
Netherlands East Indies .. .. .	375	488	211	243
New Caledonia .. .. .	254	2,704	183	1,998
Philippine Islands .. .. .	63	81	69	49
South Sea Islands .. .. .	235	506	175	418
United States .. .. .	651	823	691	924
Other Foreign Countries .. .. .	157	214	271	301
<b>Total, Foreign Countries .. .. .</b>	<b>4,040</b>	<b>7,610</b>	<b>4,624</b>	<b>7,194</b>
<b>TOTAL, ALL COUNTRIES .. .. .</b>	<b>30,132</b>	<b>34,945</b>	<b>34,528</b>	<b>37,862</b>



## Section II.—Production.

### PRINCIPAL CROPS—AUSTRALIA.

#### AREA UNDER CROPS.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.	Total area under all Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1926-27 ..	11,687,919	844,114	286,178	2,699,631	284,828	17,772,499
1927-28 ..	12,279,088	1,122,303	400,544	2,632,219	291,299	19,219,394
1928-29 ..	14,840,113	1,045,670	315,140	2,738,673	299,357	21,189,557
1929-30 ..	14,976,564	1,515,871	297,502	2,658,661	307,085	21,929,512
1930-31 ..	18,164,920	1,082,101	293,450	3,323,463	311,694	25,163,816
1931-32 ..	14,741,313	1,085,489	269,448	2,634,680	325,737	21,166,900

#### TOTAL PRODUCTION.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.	Cane Sugar. (a)
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.			
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1926-27..	160,761,886	12,571,203	6,970,273	3,487,352	3,155,916	415,876
1927-28..	118,199,775	12,084,265	11,393,050	2,858,963	3,764,439	509,094
1928-29..	159,679,421	14,108,677	8,322,718	3,175,238	3,883,725	537,574
1929-30..	126,884,622	14,424,186	7,946,320	2,725,244	3,755,375	538,084
1930-31..	213,594,391	16,658,058	8,025,619	4,149,661	3,688,869	535,624
1931-32..	190,612,188	15,194,680	7,062,383	3,167,459	4,213,453	603,735

#### AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.(b)	Tons.(b)
1926-27..	13.75	14.89	24.36	1.29	15.87	2.09
1927-28..	9.63	10.77	28.45	1.09	17.73	2.40
1928-29..	10.76	13.49	26.41	1.16	17.46	2.45
1929-30..	8.47	9.52	26.71	1.02	16.85	2.41
1930-31..	11.76	15.39	27.35	1.25	16.06	2.33
1931-32..	12.93	14.00	26.21	1.20	17.44	2.50

(a) Estimated production for 1932, 592,594 tons, and for 1933, 641,000 tons. (b) Per acre of productive cane.

#### AREA UNDER WHEAT.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Fed. Cap. Ter.	Total.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1927-28	3,029,950	3,064,172	215,073	2,941,360	2,998,523	29,448	562	12,279,088
1928-29	4,090,083	3,718,904	218,069	3,445,563	3,343,530	22,570	1,394	14,840,113
1929-30	3,974,064	3,566,135	204,116	3,645,764	3,568,225	16,805	1,455	14,976,564
1930-31	5,134,960	4,600,200	272,316	4,180,513	3,955,763	19,107	2,061	18,164,920
1931-32	3,682,945	3,565,872	248,783	4,071,370	3,158,888	11,722	1,733	14,741,313
1932-33a	4,779,800	3,230,955	250,049	4,066,782	3,387,940	20,930	3,438	15,739,894

#### TOTAL PRODUCTION OF WHEAT.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Fed. Cap. Ter.	Total.
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1927-28	27,042,000	26,160,814	3,783,584	24,066,012	36,370,219	773,142	4,004	118,199,775
1928-29	49,257,000	46,818,833	2,515,561	26,826,094	33,790,040	455,336	16,557	159,679,421
1929-30	34,407,000	25,412,587	4,235,172	23,345,093	39,081,183	375,849	27,738	126,884,622
1930-31	65,877,000	53,814,369	5,107,561	34,871,526	53,504,149	391,490	28,296	213,594,391
1931-32	54,966,000	41,955,856	3,863,894	48,093,102	41,521,245	182,913	29,178	190,612,188
1932-33a	78,389,000	47,843,129	2,474,382	42,429,614	41,055,000	431,690	65,439	213,288,254

(a) Estimated.

NOTE.—Preliminary figures for the season 1933-34 indicate an area of 14,911,000 acres sown to wheat with a probable yield of 165,000,000 bushels.

Principal Crops—Australia—continued.  
AVERAGE YIELD OF WHEAT PER ACRE.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Fed. Cap. Ter.	Total.
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1927-28	8.92	8.54	17.59	8.18	12.13	26.25	7.12	9.63
1928-29	12.04	12.59	11.54	7.79	10.10	20.17	11.88	10.76
1929-30	8.66	7.13	20.75	6.40	10.95	22.37	19.06	8.47
1930-31	12.83	11.70	18.76	8.34	13.53	20.49	13.73	11.76
1931-32	14.92	11.77	15.53	11.81	13.14	15.61	16.84	12.93
1932-33a	16.40	14.81	9.90	10.43	12.30	20.63	19.03	13.55

(a) Estimated.

NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVE STOCK.

31st Dec.	N.S.W. (a)	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	Fed. Cap. Ter. (a)	Total.
SHEEP.									
1926	55,705,923	14,919,653	16,860,772	7,283,945	7,458,766	1,807,558	6,407	224,077	104,267,101
1927	50,510,000	15,557,087	16,642,385	7,542,345	8,447,480	1,904,955	9,585	213,659	100,827,476
1928	50,184,950	16,498,222	18,509,201	7,079,947	8,943,002	2,000,605	7,635	207,211	103,430,773
1929	48,720,000	17,427,203	20,324,303	6,186,252	9,556,823	2,091,113	12,203	240,445	104,558,342
1930	53,366,000	16,477,995	22,542,043	5,980,959	9,882,761	2,119,606	15,838	183,077	110,568,279
1931	52,986,000	16,376,217	22,324,278	6,608,981	10,098,104	2,012,055	18,867	194,391	110,618,893
1932	(b)	17,512,394	21,312,865	7,713,236	10,404,981	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)

CATTLE.

1926	2,813,144	1,435,761	5,464,845	340,007	827,303	213,112	863,597	5,509	11,963,278
1927	2,848,654	1,327,077	5,225,804	316,314	846,735	210,894	835,390	6,188	11,617,050
1928	2,784,615	1,304,426	5,128,341	263,016	837,527	208,812	768,751	5,269	11,800,757
1929	2,686,132	1,335,242	5,208,588	204,516	836,646	214,643	711,607	4,760	11,202,134
1930	2,840,473	1,429,920	5,463,724	218,985	812,844	230,254	720,476	4,240	11,720,916
1931	2,993,586	1,637,530	5,550,399	268,324	826,532	232,444	749,745	5,395	12,260,955
1932	(b)	1,900,922	5,535,065	312,932	857,574	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)

HORSES.

1926	622,009	447,988	570,690	234,352	166,463	36,830	42,801	1,383	2,122,516
1927	598,377	428,666	547,412	224,027	165,021	35,872	40,108	1,208	2,040,691
1928	567,371	412,867	522,490	205,865	160,876	34,908	37,452	924	1,942,753
1929	534,945	393,015	500,104	189,054	159,528	34,336	33,703	929	1,845,616
1930	524,512	379,872	480,970	183,529	156,973	32,700	33,363	815	1,792,734
1931	524,751	375,459	468,603	185,222	156,489	30,659	33,442	925	1,775,550
1932	(b)	372,907	452,486	190,222	157,444	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)

PIGS.

1926	332,827	284,271	183,662	79,108	69,798	38,906	343	94	989,009
1927	301,819	212,785	191,947	69,733	59,810	41,752	292	69	878,207
1928	311,605	222,084	215,764	62,728	49,243	48,304	407	51	910,181
1929	323,499	265,978	236,037	74,906	64,522	52,899	359	124	1,018,324
1930	334,331	281,245	217,523	82,991	100,664	54,556	327	87	1,071,679
1931	385,846	286,780	222,686	109,780	120,521	41,459	665	108	1,167,845
1932	(b)	287,627	213,249	113,831	117,592	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)

(a) At 30th June, year following.

(b) Not yet available.

WOOL (AS IN THE GREASE) PRODUCED.(c)

Season ended 30th June.	N.S.W. (a)	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust. (b)	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	Total.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1926..	402,490,000	139,076,017	158,744,544	69,007,266	51,827,080	12,564,000	30,000	833,738,907
1927..	499,322,000	151,624,526	129,435,804	72,365,200	59,300,023	12,383,000	30,000	924,410,558
1928..	443,860,000	148,503,795	136,544,333	78,369,918	67,549,734	13,272,000	30,000	888,129,780
1929..	484,753,597	179,854,306	150,108,044	74,616,004	63,890,984	14,900,000	30,000	968,152,935
1930..	461,852,890	160,662,578	161,087,873	67,300,881	72,562,594	14,100,000	30,000	937,596,816
1931..	428,752,210	146,862,612	182,061,407	63,478,524	76,951,500	14,000,000	35,000	912,141,253
1932..	503,275,416	159,721,916	184,716,462	67,021,312	77,985,741	13,875,000	35,000	1,006,630,847

(a) Including Federal Capital Territory. (b) For year ended previous 31st December.  
(c) Estimate for 1932-33, 1,028,000,000 lb.

## PRINCIPAL DAIRY PRODUCE.

Year	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Fed. Cap. Ter.	Total.
BUTTER.(c)								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1926-27..	95,832,624	81,995,815	51,402,633	13,416,904	3,823,728	6,032,597	20,758	252,531,059
1927-28..	100,794,838	84,270,812	72,039,151	12,136,638	4,265,258	6,514,642	16,065	280,037,404
1928-29..	95,337,240	93,728,516	77,044,859	11,315,714	5,051,088	7,395,689	10,094	289,883,200
1929-30..	104,175,340	90,639,652	78,796,483	10,789,706	6,179,489	8,488,932	10,943	299,080,554
1930-31..	113,237,295	110,066,619	95,719,316	12,961,231	8,666,399	9,802,261	11,983	350,405,104
1931-32..	123,252,722	132,181,812	98,013,043	17,663,029	10,109,795	9,462,866	20,803	390,654,070
CHEESE.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb. (b)	lb.	lb.	lb.
1926-27..	6,735,960	5,997,648	9,260,043	3,708,730	5,172	971,644	..	26,679,197
1927-28..	7,284,622	5,621,945	14,123,420	3,465,456	5,088	1,029,344	..	31,534,876
1928-29..	6,339,052	5,505,932	14,391,910	2,975,095	7,526	997,586	..	30,217,101
1929-30..	6,345,785	6,953,949	12,380,882	3,536,943	998	954,463	..	30,173,020
1930-31..	6,516,065	8,064,463	13,648,038	3,901,159	528	969,528	..	33,099,781
1931-32..	6,590,357	7,723,328	11,021,963	5,096,731	909	989,685	..	31,422,973
BACON AND HAM.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb. (a)	lb.	lb.	lb.
1926-27..	24,600,275	20,952,310	18,288,690	5,165,670	2,678,830	1,946,323	2,790	73,634,888
1927-28..	25,479,208	20,605,148	18,264,855	5,111,465	2,760,694	2,780,304	..	75,001,674
1928-29..	23,087,271	19,401,447	22,043,114	5,110,352	2,557,068	2,298,745	1,400	74,499,397
1929-30..	21,616,472	18,888,537	19,195,176	5,232,878	2,713,127	2,454,548	1,243	70,101,981
1930-31..	21,901,194	18,232,219	20,177,550	5,710,784	3,042,702	1,984,454	1,230	71,050,133
1931-32..	20,468,259	18,287,404	20,008,227	7,034,439	3,473,433	1,849,678	800	71,121,740

(a) Including Bacon and Ham cured in Western Australia from animals slaughtered in other States. (b) Cheese made on farms only. (c) Estimated production for 1932-33, 418,000,000 lb.

## QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS PRODUCED—AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Gold.	Coal, Black.	Copper.	Pig Iron. (c)	Lead.	Silver.	Tin.	Zinc.
	fine oz.	ton.	ton.	ton.	ton.	oz.	ton.	ton.
1927 ..	508,291	13,522,960	11,161	468,899	191,281	11,646,445	3,001	161,489
1928 ..	457,669	11,839,780	13,847	428,404	170,023	9,624,493	3,133	168,158
1929 ..	427,159	10,365,319	13,611	461,110	184,091	9,909,326	2,264	121,851
1930 ..	466,593	9,531,359	18,177	308,369	191,011	9,785,244	1,544	142,058
1931 ..	595,123	8,401,260	15,701	232,783	163,296	8,854,571	1,707	96,306
1932 ..	713,882	8,544,148	14,406	190,132	187,515	8,993,578	2,059	84,742
1933, 1st Qtr.	175,068	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
" 2nd Qtr.	210,715							
" 3rd Qtr.	(b) 220,601							

(a) Not yet available. (b) Subject to revision. (c) Year ended June.

## VALUE (b) OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS PRODUCED.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter. (a)	Total.
GOLD.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1927 ..	76,595	163,699	161,321	1,776	1,734,571	20,646	468	2,159,076
1928 ..	54,503	144,068	56,395	2,258	1,671,093	15,306	431	1,944,054
1929 ..	31,842	111,609	40,250	4,289	1,602,142	23,772	553	1,814,457
1930 ..	53,066	102,456	33,224	5,569	1,768,623	18,976	57	1,981,971
1931 ..	118,623	262,488	79,652	17,328	3,054,743	28,150	2,535	3,563,519
1932 ..	203,622	351,586	173,144	22,018	4,413,809	43,137	4,486	5,211,802
SILVER AND LEAD.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1927 ..	3,487,980	304	32,102	143	30,421	222,427	379	3,773,756
1928 ..	2,492,089	275	3,387	..	10,836	180,517	22	2,687,126
1929 ..	3,032,741	100	14,807	258	12,525	233,353	79	3,293,863
1930 ..	2,083,790	65	9,696	90	9,330	133,658	1,684	2,243,318
1931 ..	1,079,359	99	306,393	5	3,103	54,778	160	1,443,897
1932 ..	1,566,912	208	756,546	..	5,716	69,941	..	2,399,323

(a) Year ended 30th June. (b) With the exception of Gold, the value shown is that published by the Mines Departments of the several States. Commencing with 1931, Gold is valued in Australian currency.



## Value of Principal Minerals Produced—continued.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter. (a)	Total.
COPPER.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1927 ..	12,655	..	218,842	12,452	101	362,988	..	607,038
1928 ..	8,497	..	177,043	13,321	765	444,802	..	639,428
1929 ..	14,188	30	204,188	22,982	2,778	740,985	..	1,075,146
1930 ..	8,847	..	174,075	6,966	102	620,578	589	810,657
1931 ..	23,948	..	126,342	934	..	416,309	25	567,558
1932 ..	21,785	..	108,858	..	..	399,762	137	530,542

## TIN.

1927 ..	287,539	11,454	193,774	..	13,316	317,593	18,754	842,430
1928 ..	231,843	12,954	134,727	..	15,002	258,076	10,828	664,030
1929 ..	191,199	3,545	114,518	..	13,432	130,014	6,958	459,666
1930 ..	64,800	..	49,708	..	10,608	69,592	3,345	218,053
1931 ..	103,111	440	35,744	..	3,945	70,634	2,331	216,208
1932 ..	120,124	404	66,174	..	3,295	109,767	2,322	302,086

## COAL.

1927 ..	9,782,002	982,533	987,465	..	407,967	99,802	..	12,259,769
1928 ..	8,263,729	933,403	971,690	..	420,145	106,558	..	10,695,530
1929 ..	5,952,720	991,422	1,199,599	..	426,706	105,877	..	8,676,324
1930 ..	5,193,032	931,412	952,856	..	394,758	110,253	..	7,632,311
1931 ..	4,607,343	362,284	699,926	..	336,178	98,004	..	6,103,735
1932 ..	4,376,453	274,903	684,555	..	270,630	86,733	..	5,693,274

## ALL MINERALS.

1927 ..	15,449,702	1,176,378	1,614,535	1,150,847	2,202,437	1,400,994	19,609	23,014,563
1928 ..	12,600,668	1,098,691	1,359,616	1,008,514	2,123,109	1,329,057	14,627	19,539,263
1929 ..	10,155,164	1,116,093	1,633,050	1,295,053	2,087,852	1,556,276	18,345	17,911,823
1930 ..	8,504,034	1,088,343	1,241,125	1,263,398	2,191,393	1,050,923	16,656	15,355,372
1931 ..	6,517,703	882,334	1,274,953	548,204	3,410,472	707,234	11,416	13,352,316
1932 ..	6,533,191	908,994	1,818,701	837,896	4,731,740	739,058	13,811	15,583,391

(a) Year ended 30th June.

## ESTIMATED VALUE OF PRODUCTION—AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry and Bee Farming.	Forestry and Fisheseries.	Mining.	Manufacturing. (a)	Total.
	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
1926-27 ..	98,295	111,716	46,980	12,790	23,939	153,634	447,354
1927-28 ..	84,328	124,554	50,261	12,181	23,015	158,562	452,901
1928-29 ..	89,440	116,733	50,717	11,617	19,539	159,759	447,805
1929-30 ..	77,109	84,563	49,398	11,371	17,912	149,184	389,537
1930-31 ..	70,500	69,499	43,067	8,313	15,356	112,966	319,701
1931-32 ..	74,489	61,540	41,478	7,703	13,352	106,456	305,018

(a) These amounts differ from those given in the following tables, owing to the inclusion in those tables of certain products which are included in Dairy Farming and Forestry in this table.

## MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—AUSTRALIA.

Year.	No. of Establishments.	Hands Em- ployed.	Salaries and Wages Paid. (a)	Value of Plant, Machinery, Land and Buildings.	Value of Materials Used.	Value of Production.	Value of Output.
	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£
1926-27	21,579	452,184	90,575,166	220,092,363	232,643,518	162,325,273	408,692,838
1927-28	22,775	449,728	91,365,319	231,254,208	235,617,260	167,402,772	416,994,009
1928-29	22,916	450,482	90,986,908	239,348,849	238,938,566	167,623,316	420,445,283
1929-30	22,700	419,194	84,717,033	245,695,920	220,945,187	156,364,432	390,912,373
1930-31	21,751	338,843	62,454,859	236,708,306	162,104,646	118,310,123	290,798,564
1931-32	21,657	336,658	55,931,818	228,119,701	161,199,245	110,981,830	281,645,785

(a) Exclusive of amounts drawn by working proprietors.



## MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—DETAILS FOR STATES.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
1929-30.							
1. Factories .. ..No.	8,208	8,195	2,172	1,814	1,466	845	22,700
2. Hands employed (a) .. "	162,913	151,009	42,624	32,185	19,643	10,820	419,194
3. Wages paid (b) .. £	34,875,995	28,387,840	8,690,872	6,579,186	4,154,980	2,028,160	84,717,038
4. Value of fuel used .. "	6,471,071	3,714,072	950,194	1,255,146	617,758	594,513	13,602,754
5. " materials used .. "	93,931,937	67,837,659	28,005,241	18,080,989	8,685,647	4,403,714	220,945,187
6. " of production .. "	66,847,610	51,259,368	16,130,503	10,976,649	7,588,077	3,562,225	156,364,432
7. " of output of fact's., "	167,250,618	122,811,099	45,085,938	30,312,784	16,891,482	8,560,452	390,912,373
8. " land & buildings .. "	53,785,319	36,988,485	9,690,313	8,937,039	5,670,214	2,996,859	118,068,229
9. " plant & mchnry. .. "	53,515,368	35,022,535	15,723,983	10,286,674	6,112,186	6,966,945	127,627,691
1930-31.							
1. Factories .. ..No.	7,544	8,199	2,104	1,644	1,455	805	21,751
2. Hands employed (a) .. "	127,591	128,016	37,901	23,866	14,020	8,829	338,843
3. Wages paid (b) .. £	25,200,290	21,359,491	7,098,106	4,368,868	2,886,884	1,541,220	62,544,859
4. Value of fuel used .. "	4,727,673	2,836,126	875,330	855,289	552,100	537,277	10,383,795
5. " material used .. "	64,232,090	51,175,701	26,018,866	11,387,054	5,281,142	2,770,793	162,104,646
6. " of production .. "	49,523,773	39,413,968	13,528,662	7,755,112	6,281,111	2,807,497	118,310,123
7. " of output of fact's., "	118,483,536	93,425,795	40,422,858	19,997,455	12,353,353	6,115,567	290,798,564
8. " land & buildings .. "	4,229,325	36,218,384	9,355,106	8,418,702	5,059,833	2,739,272	112,210,609
9. " plant & mchnry. .. "	50,865,884	34,771,687	16,100,004	10,182,855	6,134,766	6,442,501	124,497,697
1931-32.							
1. Factories .. ..No.	7,397	8,204	2,013	1,662	1,490	891	21,657
2. Hands employed (a) .. "	126,368	128,265	35,799	23,834	13,392	9,000	336,658
3. Wages paid (b) .. £	22,751,013	19,454,045	6,188,889	3,786,056	2,335,684	1,416,131	55,931,818
4. Value of fuel used .. "	4,229,325	2,704,791	766,501	748,814	564,057	451,222	9,464,710
5. " materials used .. "	63,556,701	52,864,198	24,015,316	11,581,708	6,017,750	3,163,572	161,109,245
6. " of production .. "	46,653,481	37,819,628	12,133,356	6,961,848	4,605,134	2,808,383	110,981,880
7. " of output of fact's., "	114,439,507	93,388,617	36,915,173	19,292,370	11,186,941	6,423,177	281,645,785
8. " land & buildings .. "	46,462,828	34,868,960	8,980,620	8,032,264	5,470,954	2,774,698	106,590,324
9. " plant & mchnry. .. "	50,827,992	33,481,615	15,743,919	9,624,637	5,945,468	6,455,746	121,529,377

(a) Includes working proprietors.

(b) Exclusive of amounts drawn by working proprietors.

## MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—VALUE OF PRODUCTION—AUSTRALIA.

Class of Industry.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
	£	£	£	£
I. Treatment of Non-metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products .. ..	4,008,361	3,541,744	2,166,358	1,687,797
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, &c. ..	4,989,407	4,107,591	1,756,526	1,466,092
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paint, Oils and Grease .. ..	8,284,514	8,077,799	8,016,247	7,921,415
IV. Industrial Metals, Machines, Implementments and Conveyances ..	45,922,679	40,626,155	27,123,464	22,804,135
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery and Plate ..	672,051	627,316	435,916	403,317
VI. Textiles and Textile Goods ..	7,282,989	7,494,283	6,115,345	6,929,068
VII. Skins and Leather .. ..	2,410,954	2,179,943	1,974,184	2,228,598
VIII. Clothing .. ..	17,362,915	15,918,596	11,706,051	11,105,046
IX. Food, Drink and Tobacco ..	36,656,298	35,114,764	30,132,011	28,697,012
X. Woodworking and Basketware ..	8,878,730	7,864,325	4,379,020	3,668,234
XI. Furniture, Bedding, &c. ..	4,111,300	3,454,107	1,913,841	1,615,780
XII. Paper, Stationery, Printing, Book-binding, &c. .. ..	12,397,565	12,119,726	9,913,231	9,620,946
XIII. Rubber .. ..	3,411,083	3,044,369	1,593,183	1,868,195
XIV. Musical Instruments .. ..	732,728	634,281	312,915	172,665
XV. Miscellaneous Products .. ..	860,820	977,049	869,834	1,094,282
XVI. Heat, Light and Power .. ..	9,640,922	10,582,384	9,901,997	9,699,248
Total .. ..	167,623,316	156,364,432	118,310,123	110,981,830

**MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Percentage of Each Item of Outlay on Value of Total Output, 1931-32.**

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Wages(a) ..	19.88	20.83	16.76	19.62	20.88	22.05	19.86
Fuel and Light ..	3.70	2.90	2.08	3.88	5.04	7.02	3.36
Materials used ..	55.54	56.60	65.06	60.04	53.79	49.25	57.23
Margin for profits and miscellaneous expenses & charges	20.88	19.67	16.10	16.46	20.29	21.68	19.55
Total output ..	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Per cent. of Wages on value of Production ..	48.77	51.44	51.01	54.38	50.72	50.43	50.40

(a) Exclusive of amounts drawn by working proprietors.

**MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Average Amount of Salaries and Wages paid per Employee.(a)**

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1928-29—Males ..	258.68	241.51	234.71	239.74	247.57	217.89	247.35
Females ..	112.96	112.94	95.05	102.78	107.01	94.92	110.63
1930-31—Males ..	244.36	221.68	218.64	217.40	239.04	211.86	230.20
Females ..	107.56	102.73	91.40	92.78	100.28	85.11	102.74
1931-32—Males ..	225.99	200.27	204.08	191.61	213.43	192.28	210.26
Females ..	98.74	94.43	81.61	81.21	92.20	83.11	94.18

(a) Exclusive of working proprietors and amounts drawn by them.

**MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Average Number of Males and Females Employed, 1931-32.**

Sex.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
Males ..	90,682	81,618	29,149	18,932	10,535	6,999	237,915
Females ..	35,686	46,647	6,650	4,902	2,857	2,001	98,743
Masculinity (a) ..	254	175	438	386	369	350	241

(a) Number of males per 100 females.

**Section III.—Shipping and Commerce.**

**SHIPPING.—NET TONNAGE ENTERED AND CLEARED—AUSTRALIA.**

Year.	Tonnage Entered.			Tonnage Cleared.		
	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.
1927-28 ..	4,992,965	426,080	5,419,045	4,784,979	721,274	5,506,253
1928-29 ..	4,927,564	624,019	5,551,583	4,907,261	638,320	5,545,581
1929-30 ..	5,075,343	369,103	5,444,446	4,544,974	954,707	5,499,681
1930-31 ..	4,127,967	1,453,550	5,581,517	5,216,872	451,801	5,668,673
1931-32 ..	3,946,918	1,739,980	5,686,898	5,256,181	452,705	5,708,886
1932-33 ..	4,278,350	1,654,974	5,933,324	5,213,409	694,907	5,908,316

**OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE TONNAGE OF CARGO—Discharged and Shipped, States.**

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NOTE.—Cargo recorded by measurement has been converted to tons on the basis of 40 cubic feet = 1 ton.

State or Territory.	Discharged.				Shipped.			
	Interstate.		Oversea.		Interstate.		Oversea.	
	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.	Tons Weight.	Tons Measurement.
1932-33.								
New South Wales ..	1,171	364	760	567	1,878	418	1,686	271
Victoria ..	1,391	206	963	338	467	222	1,145	207
Queensland ..	111	333	189	88	233	121	427	15
South Australia ..	635	129	283	143	928	79	1,306	78
Western Australia ..	118	102	440	74	26	27	1,012	81
Tasmania ..	256	151	37	7	286	180	66	126
Northern Territory ..	5	..	8	..	1	..	..	..
Total ..	3,687	1,285	2,680	1,217	3,819	1,047	5,642	778
1931-32.								
New South Wales ..	775	328	602	458	1,575	394	1,670	243
Victoria ..	1,072	231	733	200	376	207	1,155	146
Queensland ..	103	307	158	66	186	127	528	13
South Australia ..	588	73	240	107	616	58	1,312	94
Western Australia ..	138	94	306	55	12	23	1,218	97
Tasmania ..	239	130	32	8	237	198	69	133
Northern Territory ..	5	..	1	1	1	..	..	..
Total ..	2,920	1,163	2,072	895	3,003	1,007	5,952	726
Total 1930-31 ..	3,149	1,029	2,376	1,037	3,295	805	5,803	639
" 1929-30 ..	3,291	1,432	4,348	2,298	3,461	1,111	3,954	644
" 1928-29 ..	4,101	1,541	3,597	2,470	4,382	1,169	4,529	760
" 1927-28 ..	4,870	1,238	3,347	2,543	5,090	1,135	3,740	947

**OVERSEA SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES FROM AUSTRALIA TO THE UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENT AT 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

(Subject to adjustment on account of exchange when freight prepaid in Australia—18 per cent. on refrigerated cargo rates and 25 per cent. on other cargo rates.)

(40 Cubic Feet = 1 Ton Measurement.)

**FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, EXCLUDING LIVE ANIMALS—**

Butter (Refrigerator) ..	4s. per box. (56 lbs.) less 7½%.
Cheese (Refrigerator) ..	¼d. per lb. less 7½%.
Eggs (in shell) ..	108s. per ton measurement. less 2½%.
<b>Meats, Preserved by Cold Process (Refrigerator)—</b>	
Beef ..	¼d. per lb. less 7½%.
Lamb ..	1¼d. per lb. less 10%.
Mutton ..	1d. per lb. less 7½%.
Rabbits and Hares ..	80s. per ton measurement less 5%.
Preserved in tins ..	63s. per ton measurement.
Sausage Casings (dried in casks or cases) ..	63s. per ton measurement.
Milk and Cream (condensed) ..	63s. per ton measurement.

**FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN—**

Sugar ..	35s. 6d. per ton weight.
Jams ..	50s. per ton measurement.
Jellies ..	50s. per ton measurement.
Dried Fruits ..	50s. per ton measurement.
Fruits, Fresh—Apples (Refrigerator) ..	3s. 6d. per bushel case.
Oranges (bushel cases) ..	3s. 6d. per bushel case.
Wheat, Unprepared, Parcels (a) ..	22s. 6d. per ton weight.
Barley, Unprepared ..	25s. per ton weight.
Oats, Unprepared ..	31s. 3d. per ton weight.
Maize, Unprepared ..	24s. 9d. per ton weight.
Flour, Wheaten ..	25s. per ton weight.
Bran ..	32s. 6d. per ton weight.
Pollard ..	30s. per ton weight.
Rice ..	30s. per ton weight.
WINE ..	63s. per ton measurement

**ANIMAL SUBSTANCES (MAINLY MANUFACTURED), NOT FOODSTUFFS—**

Hides and Skins—Calf ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
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(a) Charter rate for September, 23s. 6d. per ton.

**Oversea Shipping Freight Rates from Australia to the United Kingdom and  
Continent at 30th September, 1933—continued.**

(40 Cubic Feet = 1 Ton Measurement.)

<b>VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES—</b>					
Compressed Fodder	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton measurement.
Bark, Tanning (Chopped)	..	..	..	..	62s. per ton weight.
(Ground)	..	..	..	..	47s. 3d. per ton weight.
Copra	..	..	..	..	61s. 3d. per ton measurement.
Sandalwood	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton measurement.
Raw Cotton (in bales)	..	..	..	..	4d. per lb.
<b>APPAREL, TEXTILES, AND MANUFACTURED FIBRES—</b>					
Apparel and Attire	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton measurement.
Blinder Twine	..	..	..	..	110s. per ton weight.
<b>OILS, FATS, AND WAXES—</b>					
Oils, Eucalyptus	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton measurement.
Other	..	..	..	..	70s. 9d. per ton weight.
Tallow, Unrefined	..	..	..	..	70s. 9d. per ton weight.
PAINTS AND VARNISHES	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton measurement.
<b>ORES AND METALS, UNMANUFACTURED OR PARTLY MANUFACTURED—</b>					
Ore (in casks)	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton weight.
Zinc, Ashes	..	..	..	..	40s. 6d. per ton weight.
Dust (in cases)	..	..	..	..	126s. per ton weight.
Oxide	..	..	..	..	126s. per ton weight.
Sheet (in cases)	..	..	..	..	55s. per ton weight.
Copper, Parcels, up to 100 tons	..	..	..	..	30s. per ton weight.
Oxide	..	..	..	..	29s. 3d. per ton weight.
Lead	..	..	..	..	27s. 6d. per ton weight.
Steel, Billets (up to 12ft.)	..	..	..	..	39s. 3d. per ton weight.
(over 12 and up to 25ft.)	..	..	..	..	47s. 3d. per ton weight.
Tyres	..	..	..	..	47s. 3d. per ton weight.
Tin, Clippings in Ingot form	..	..	..	..	21s. 6d. per ton weight.
<b>RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF, AND SUBSTITUTES</b>					
<b>THREBOR—</b>					
Rubber	..	..	..	..	56s. 9d. per ton measurement.
Leather	..	..	..	..	137s. 9d. per ton weight.
<b>WOOD, RAW AND MANUFACTURED—</b>					
Timber, Logs up to 40ft. lengths	..	..	..	..	15s. per 100 super. feet.
" over 40 and up to 50 ft. lengths	..	..	..	..	16s. 3d. per 100 super. feet.
" over 50 and up to 60 ft. lengths	..	..	..	..	17s. 6d. per 100 super. feet.
Sawn, Undressed, up to 30 ft.	..	..	..	..	11s. per 100 super. feet.
<b>EARthenWARE, CEMENTS, CHINA AND GLASS</b>					63s. per ton measurement.
<b>STATIONERY</b>					63s. per ton measurement.
<b>DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND FERTILIZERS—</b>					
Fertilizers	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton measurement.
<b>MISCELLANEOUS—</b>					
Soap	..	..	..	..	63s. per ton measurement.
Casein	..	..	..	..	99s. per ton measurement.
SPECIAL	..	..	..	..	15s. per cent.

**INTERSTATE AND NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES, GENERAL CARGO,  
30th September, 1933.**

(Per Ton Weight or Measurement : 1 Ton Meas. = 40 Cubic Feet.)

To—	From—		
	Brisbane.	Sydney.	Melbourne.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Brisbane	17 0	17 0	25 0
Sydney	25 0	16 0	16 0
Melbourne	40 0	25 0	20 0
Adelaide	60 0	43 0	38 0
Fremantle	60 0	43 0a	38 0a
Perth	44 0f	20 0	20 0
Hobart	43 0g	20 0	18 0
Launceston	44 0f	20 0	18 0
Devonport	44 0g	20 0	18 0
Burnie	43 0g	20 0	18 0
Auckland	..	35 0	35 0
Wellington	..	35 0b	58 0c
Lyttleton	..	60 0c	35 0
Dunedin	..	60 0c	35 0
New Caledonia	..	52 6d	75 8d
New Hebrides, Solomon Islands (British), and Territory of New Guinea (Rabaul)	60 0	60 0	82 6
Morfolk Island	50 0	50 0	72 6
Papua	..	60 0	82 6

- (a) Plus lighterage, 8s. 6d. per ton measurement, or 9s. 6d. per ton weight.  
 (b) Plus Wellington Harbour Improvement charges, 1s.  
 (c) Transhipped at Wellington, plus 1s., Wellington Harbour Improvement charges.  
 (d) Transhipped at Sydney.  
 (e) Transhipped at Sydney, plus 1s., Wellington Harbour Improvement charges.  
 (f) Including transhipment.  
 (g) Direct.



## COMMERCE.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA IMPORTS.

BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.

States and Territories.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.(c)
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .. ..	63,491,751	57,127,427	26,311,411	18,797,584	23,799,380
Victoria .. ..	46,005,650	42,301,093	20,305,201	16,043,817	21,500,998
Queensland .. ..	11,594,348	11,540,083	5,556,434	3,746,131	4,523,115
South Australia .. ..	11,305,866	9,360,275	3,916,258	2,821,533	3,766,983
Western Australia .. ..	9,453,169	8,879,010	4,060,261	2,728,963	3,821,363
Tasmania .. ..	1,765,052	1,834,530	790,817	564,951	564,789
Northern Territory .. ..	32,045	38,902	19,251	9,884	8,814
Total .. ..	143,647,881	131,081,320	60,959,633	44,712,868	57,985,442

## VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA EXPORTS.(a)

AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY VALUES.

States and Territories.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.(c)
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .. ..	49,231,220	35,761,807	31,624,592	34,608,871	46,725,696
Victoria .. ..	39,090,707	36,499,943	26,569,700	27,587,320	29,951,002
Queensland .. ..	20,438,051	18,821,824	16,922,406	16,106,067	15,279,746
South Australia .. ..	14,811,542	15,009,496	10,253,176	12,247,406	12,781,061
Western Australia .. ..	15,301,307	16,004,694	16,629,725	14,816,420	14,012,167
Tasmania .. ..	2,706,042	2,970,913	2,340,083	2,530,435	2,515,934
Northern Territory .. ..	53,720	58,471	14,956	20,624	11,579
Total .. ..	141,632,589	125,127,148	104,354,638	107,967,143	121,277,185
			(b)	(b)	(b)

(a) Goods destined for oversea countries are largely transferred from one State to another for transshipment to the oversea country. In this table such goods are shown against the State from which they were finally dispatched. (b) Australian currency values. The estimated British currency values were:—1930-31, £ stg. 88,904,142; 1931-32, £ stg. 85,002,631; and 1932-33, £ stg. 96,861,556.

(c) Preliminary figures.

## EXTERNAL TRADE.—AUSTRALIA—VALUE OF, AND VALUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.

Year.	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports. (a)			Value per Head.								
			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	
								Aust.	Other	Total.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1928-29	285,280,470	143,647,881	138,540,861	3,091,728	141,632,589	45 0 4	22 13 4	21 17 3	0 9 9	22 7 9				
1929-30	256,208,468	131,081,320	122,616,884	2,510,264	125,127,148	39 18 10	20 8 8	19 2 4	0 7 10	19 10 2				
1930-31	149,863,775	60,959,633	86,988,142	1,916,000	88,904,142	23 2 10	9 8 3	13 4 0	8 0 5	13 14 7				
1931-32	129,715,499	44,712,868	83,324,817	1,677,814	85,002,631	19 17 6	6 17 0	12 15 4	0 5 11	21 3 0				
1932-33	154,846,998	57,985,442	94,802,522	2,059,034	96,861,556	23 10 11	8 16 4	14 8 4	0 6 3	14 14 7				

(a) Does not include the value of Stores shipped in Australian ports on board oversea ships. The value of Ships Stores was in 1928-29, £2,816,116; 1929-30, £2,046,561; 1930-31, £1,633,141; 1931-32, £1,559,574; and in 1932-33, £1,621,640.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports.		
	Merchandise.	Specie and Bullion.	Total.	Merchandise.	Specie and Bullion.	Total.	Merchandise.	Specie and Bullion.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1928-29	143,281,449	366,432	143,647,881	137,706,069	3,926,520	141,632,589	-5,575,380	3,560,088	-2,015,292
1929-30	130,758,534	322,786	131,081,320	97,378,299	27,748,849	125,127,148	-33,380,235	27,426,063	-5,954,172
1930-31	60,560,787	398,846	60,959,633	75,857,186a	13,046,956	88,904,142b	15,296,399	12,648,110	27,944,509
1931-32	44,042,662	670,206	44,712,868	74,833,385a	10,164,246	85,002,631b	30,795,723	9,404,040	40,289,763
1932-33	56,820,061	1,165,381	57,985,442	78,036,327a	18,825,229	96,861,556b	21,216,266	17,659,848	38,876,114

(a) British currency values. The actual recorded values were:—1930-31, £89,056,380; 1931-32, £95,272,357; 1932-33, £97,740,497. (b) The Australian currency values were:—1930-31, £104,354,638; 1931-32, £107,967,143; 1932-33, £121,277,185.

NOTE.—The minus sign (—) denotes an excess of imports.

## CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE—AUSTRALIA.

Gross Revenue from Customs and Excise, under the Sixteen Tariff Divisions, and Total Net Revenue collected during the September Quarter of 1932 and 1933, the calendar years 1931 and 1932, and the financial years 1931-32 and 1932-33.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

Division.	September Quarter.		Year.		Financial Year.	
	1932.	1933.	1931.	1932.	1931-32.	1932-33.
<b>CUSTOMS.</b>	£ A	£ A	£ A	£ A	£ A	£ A
1. Ale, Spirits, and Beverages ..	275,233	269,911	1,046,851	1,033,125	967,857	1,027,596
2. Tobacco, and Manufactures thereof ..	843,032	794,753	3,984,822	3,233,580	3,813,268	3,095,597
3. Sugar ..	447	127	375	998	396	901
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries ..	367,227	308,752	1,171,248	1,366,015	1,153,230	1,381,616
5. Textiles, &c., and Attire ..	685,754	638,413	1,647,683	2,021,518	1,713,323	2,204,616
6. Metals and Machinery ..	301,984	328,225	1,034,915	1,051,108	863,957	1,253,663
7. Oils, Paints and Varnishes ..	1,268,881	1,393,154	4,946,384	5,272,325	5,065,533	5,421,021
8. Earthenware, &c. ..	69,855	92,916	199,266	233,137	184,103	282,440
9. Drugs and Chemicals ..	74,090	77,869	281,646	235,994	262,098	294,777
10. Wood, Wicker and Cane ..	107,372	138,619	261,831	352,669	239,203	441,811
11. Jewellery and Fancy Goods ..	83,723	118,502	321,692	303,867	281,011	323,263
12. Leather and Rubber ..	78,029	83,239	331,718	369,332	363,913	358,521
13. Paper and Stationery ..	123,452	114,832	536,871	467,526	439,820	451,019
14. Vehicles ..	72,128	97,327	153,224	259,285	138,274	362,077
15. Musical Instruments ..	2,038	2,257	7,469	6,145	5,152	6,958
16. Miscellaneous ..	170,451	189,005	512,545	607,361	485,916	719,721
Export Duties ..			8,595			
Primage ..	1,278,492	1,196,581	2,653,786	4,415,238	3,740,815	4,660,367
Ships' Stores ..	10,685	10,752	(a) 27,321	55,830	61,588	51,022
Other Miscellaneous Receipts ..	15,732	26,406	110,869	68,861	64,068	61,477
<b>Total Customs ..</b>	<b>5,828,605</b>	<b>5,881,640</b>	<b>19,239,111</b>	<b>21,403,914</b>	<b>19,843,465</b>	<b>22,398,463</b>
<b>EXCISE.</b>						
Beer ..	994,369	1,010,476	4,805,958	4,865,507	4,766,791	4,897,834
Cigarette Papers ..	34,548	95,622		82,283	6,580	201,184
Concentrated Grape Must ..			1,935	704	1,841	
Matches ..	18,530	19,588		45,066	8,330	72,735
Petrol ..	120,589	117,866	306,707	399,715	328,074	461,318
Playing Cards ..	3,319	3,902	9,906	11,878	11,172	11,637
Spirits ..	400,966	421,640	1,520,380	1,428,034	1,525,661	1,415,466
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff ..	1,214,313	1,189,117	3,044,370	4,289,380	3,396,121	4,751,575
Licences, &c. ..	105	304	10,969	12,971	11,761	11,897
<b>Total Excise ..</b>	<b>2,786,739</b>	<b>2,858,515</b>	<b>9,700,225</b>	<b>11,135,538</b>	<b>10,056,331</b>	<b>11,823,646</b>
<b>Total Gross Customs and Excise Collections</b>	<b>8,615,344</b>	<b>8,740,155</b>	<b>28,939,336</b>	<b>32,539,452</b>	<b>29,899,796</b>	<b>34,222,109</b>
<b>Drawbacks and Re-payments ..</b>	<b>289,055</b>	<b>263,622</b>	<b>1,577,435</b>	<b>1,176,446</b>	<b>1,374,800</b>	<b>1,136,221</b>
<b>TOTAL NET REVENUE ..</b>	<b>8,326,289</b>	<b>8,476,533</b>	<b>27,361,901</b>	<b>31,363,006</b>	<b>28,524,996</b>	<b>33,085,888</b>

(a) Prior to the 1st July, 1931, the duty on ships' stores is included in the totals for the respective tariff divisions.

**IMPORTS INTO AUSTRALIA** of the undermentioned classes of goods—the produce or manufacture of United Kingdom, Canada, Germany, Japan, Netherlands East Indies, the United States of America, and all countries, during the year ended 30th June, 1933.\* (Values in British Currency.)

Classes of Goods.	United Kingdom.	Canada.	Germany.	Japan.	Netherlands East-Indies.	U.S. America.	Total All Countries.
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
1. Foodstuffs of animal origin	186,151	271,956	363	28,930	29	139,906	809,586
2. Foodstuffs of vegetable origin and non-alcoholic beverages .. ..	189,762	796	1,515	17,077	680,233	34,665	2,331,077
3. Spirituous and alcoholic liquors .. ..	402,301	59	1,004	7	..	226	460,695
4. Tobacco and preparations thereof .. ..	8,787	..	1	23	12,011	643,270	712,240
5. Live animals .. ..	15,530	89	113	164	3	297	48,240
6. Animal substances (mainly unmanufactured) not foodstuffs .. ..	31,080	12,216	9,344	287,583	25,062	30,954	832,628
7. Vegetable substances and fibres .. ..	86,883	13,953	17,550	42,963	173,961	119,957	1,555,293
8. Apparel, textiles, and manufactured fibres ..	9,305,178	127,432	410,120	2,491,486	9,504	261,691	17,327,763
9. Oils, fats, and waxes ..	147,143	554	36,363	18,516	1,929,939	3,074,043	5,961,279
10. Paints and varnishes ..	157,168	3,017	46,649	155	131	68,575	296,178
11. Stones and minerals, including ores, &c. ..	82,573	5,901	22,130	77	430	109,294	381,661
12. Metals, metal manufactures, and machinery ..	6,469,718	524,541	475,109	95,123	130	1,772,460	10,108,741
13. Rubber and leather, and manufactures thereof ..	196,591	7,445	29,729	17,710	43,727	71,071	637,990
14. Wood and wicker, raw and manufactured ..	57,349	477,079	5,648	16,227	9,181	184,651	1,272,206
15. Earthenware, cement, china, glass, &c. ..	447,967	1,139	41,285	182,492	7	53,893	894,729
16. Paper and stationery ..	2,500,548	600,464	116,967	40,401	232	233,519	4,254,143
17. Jewellery, timepieces, and fancy goods ..	150,141	30,606	94,689	127,709	3	15,965	692,279
18. Optical, surgical, and scientific instruments ..	334,444	91,977	75,296	2,683	1	378,008	935,573
19. Drugs, chemicals, and fertilizers .. ..	1,335,052	35,627	309,249	143,459	4,174	604,406	3,665,690
20. Miscellaneous .. ..	1,818,675	39,518	135,463	51,768	18,446	210,901	3,642,070
21. Gold and silver; and bronze specie .. ..	7,513	..	..	..	..	63	1,165,381
<b>Total .. ..</b>	<b>23,930,554</b>	<b>2,244,369</b>	<b>1,828,587</b>	<b>3,564,553</b>	<b>2,907,204</b>	<b>8,007,809</b>	<b>57,985,442</b>

\* Preliminary figures.

**PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM AUSTRALIA.**

Year.	Butter.	Flour.	Wheat.	Wool.		Mutton and Lamb.	Beef.
				Greasy.	Scoured.(a)		
QUANTITY.							
1928-29	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
1928-29	1,024,428	11,276,066	49,137,747	7,633,395	472,011	849,292	1,890,904
1929-30	1,076,631	9,314,664	24,234,424	6,994,006	449,146	1,004,112	1,567,487
1930-31	1,631,807	10,484,864	71,533,974	7,689,493	456,330	1,092,532	1,556,306
1931-32	2,016,394	12,217,163	76,440,603	7,752,102	592,052	1,652,813	1,658,721
1932-33	2,263,293	12,621,464	71,733,563	8,497,475	777,581	1,667,966	1,539,020
1933-34							
(3 mths.)	213,426	2,414,614	11,276,048	1,179,581	227,674	221,556	423,755
VALUE.—(AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY.)							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1928-29	7,159,446	5,998,600	20,336,199	55,902,618	5,710,377	2,166,043	2,888,287
1929-30	7,001,540	4,948,927	10,036,535	32,931,609	3,664,991	2,386,186	2,569,788
1930-31	8,120,165	3,513,573	14,744,468	29,377,197	2,624,563	2,105,963	2,235,526
1931-32	9,812,827	3,833,237	19,220,203	28,983,787	3,118,459	2,994,062	2,087,829
1932-33	9,264,665	4,147,003	17,804,849	32,103,045	4,299,816	2,697,224	1,854,582
1933-34							
(3 mths.)	934,394	844,140	3,137,369	6,432,785	1,853,573	405,295	457,693

(a) Includes Tops, Noils and Waste.

**EXPORTS FROM AUSTRALIA** of the undermentioned classes of goods to United Kingdom, Canada, New Zealand, Germany, Japan, the United States of America, and all countries, during the year ended 30th June, 1933. (Values in Australian Currency.)

Classes of Goods.	United Kingdom.	Canada.	New Zealand.	Germany.	Japan.	U.S. America.	Total All Countries.
	£ A.	£ A.	£ A.	£ A.	£ A.	£ A.	£ A.
1. Foodstuffs of animal origin	15,106,371	18,874	4,475	48,654	52,442	149,025	17,555,813
2. Foodstuffs of vegetable origin and non-alcoholic beverages ..	12,641,922	835,694	617,649	191,208	2,763,989	2,683	30,107,602
3. Spirituous and alcoholic liquors ..	740,850	17,965	30,888	..	43	14	872,565
4. Tobacco and preparations thereof ..	1,260	..	118,149	..	..	..	258,683
5. Live animals ..	981	69	20,802	337	4,121	6,995	142,202
6. Animal substances (mainly unmanufactured) not foodstuffs ..	12,166,669	275,114	8,810	4,583,715	8,045,952	1,025,734	39,197,431
7. Vegetable substances and fibres ..	25,515	2,643	36,544	18,942	10,991	4,070	256,850
8. Apparel, textiles, and manufactured fibres ..	47,272	5,732	247,023	975	6,012	8,383	497,039
9. Oils, fats and waxes ..	338,723	35,733	29,279	9,357	204,730	427	969,485
10. Paints and varnishes ..	238	6	39,060	30	..	168	60,931
11. Stones and minerals, including ores, &c. ..	71,640	..	117,023	9,109	133,389	5,642	630,269
12. Metals, metal manufactures, and machinery ..	2,980,128	2,656	521,806	191,655	216,450	79,885	4,625,462
13. Rubber and leather, and manufactures thereof	196,605	1,108	93,961	3,222	3,524	3,026	478,074
14. Wood and wicker, raw and manufactured ..	128,724	6,880	77,564	1,505	117	7,792	399,289
15. Earthenware, cement, china, glass, &c. ..	1,151	4	62,436	17	50	121	84,349
16. Paper and stationery ..	27,244	2,156	108,196	187	79	11,269	186,945
17. Jewellery, timepieces, and fancy goods ..	30,312	1,175	23,603	4,002	755	1,811	98,284
18. Optical, surgical, and scientific instruments ..	20,302	304	141,958	3,300	112	10,259	261,185
19. Drugs, chemicals, and fertilizers ..	41,405	1,547	269,217	16,360	20,053	13,031	468,634
20. Miscellaneous ..	183,141	1,577	150,400	2,227	5,650	8,918	589,405
21. Gold and silver and bronze specie ..	21,224,657	..	50,194	..	..	2,199,406	23,536,688
Total ..	65,975,132	1,209,237	2,770,237	5,084,802	11,468,459	3,538,659	121,277,185



## EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES FROM AUSTRALIA IN EACH MONTH—QUANTITIES.

Item.	Unit of Quantity.	Year.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Wool, Greasy .. ..	1,000 lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	26,245 37,063	6,984 6,538	66,479 74,357	93,784 ..	129,175 ..	114,795 ..	67,709 ..	101,774 ..	97,808 ..	68,674 ..	50,179 ..	26,157 ..	849,763 ..
Wool, Scoured .. ..	1,000 lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	5,810 8,599	4,332 5,109	7,515 7,126	5,340 ..	6,601 ..	6,138 ..	4,419 ..	5,551 ..	5,614 ..	5,873 ..	9,761 ..	6,324 ..	73,278 ..
Sheepskins (with wool) ..	1,000 No.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	446 964	578 1,029	896 781	1,171 ..	1,482 ..	1,148 ..	727 ..	850 ..	970 ..	621 ..	875 ..	685 ..	10,440 ..
Wheat .. ..	1,000 centals	{ 1932-33 1933-34	3,706 4,276	1,320 3,664	2,990 3,337	3,227 ..	3,356 ..	5,942 ..	11,865 ..	14,032 ..	11,217 ..	5,574 ..	5,631 ..	2,874 ..	71,734 ..
Flour .. ..	1,000 centals	{ 1932-33 1933-34	928 861	696 839	948 715	1,237 ..	800 ..	1,073 ..	785 ..	1,685 ..	1,734 ..	978 ..	943 ..	814 ..	12,621 ..
Butter .. ..	1,000 lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	11,198 4,270	10,811 5,568	15,791 11,505	23,799 ..	32,234 ..	30,619 ..	22,879 ..	27,217 ..	26,439 ..	12,038 ..	7,945 ..	5,362 ..	226,332 ..
Sugar.. ..	1,000 cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	347 200	800 715	977 533	609 ..	404 ..	439 ..	157 ..	2 ..	2 ..	1 ..	2 ..	1 ..	3,741 ..
Raisins .. ..	1,000 lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	11,074 9,845	6,768 18,201	350 13,077	248 ..	203 ..	74 ..	35 ..	172 ..	9,518 ..	24,979 ..	16,667 ..	9,212 ..	79,300 ..
Wine .. ..	1,000 gal.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	160 126	144 314	153 189	233 ..	285 ..	316 ..	406 ..	371 ..	309 ..	256 ..	228 ..	234 ..	3,095 ..
Beef .. ..	1,000 lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	13,436 10,221	19,332 20,399	14,479 11,755	5,203 ..	6,126 ..	9,950 ..	10,550 ..	6,458 ..	9,905 ..	13,582 ..	17,193 ..	27,759 ..	153,973 ..
Lamb .. ..	1,000 lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	3,356 2,896	8,763 3,052	19,743 9,260	22,109 ..	21,894 ..	19,346 ..	3,695 ..	5,180 ..	7,709 ..	4,883 ..	2,711 ..	2,414 ..	121,803 ..
Mutton .. ..	1,000 lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	1,254 3,241	1,062 1,667	2,627 2,040	2,819 ..	4,517 ..	9,957 ..	4,205 ..	4,317 ..	4,904 ..	3,031 ..	2,953 ..	3,348 ..	44,994 ..
Tallow .. ..	1,000 cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	31 63	40 61	74 50	80 ..	75 ..	103 ..	78 ..	70 ..	52 ..	48 ..	46 ..	51 ..	748 ..
Lead (Pig) .. ..	1,000 cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	356 192	292 391	419 442	171 ..	239 ..	240 ..	311 ..	328 ..	342 ..	346 ..	311 ..	277 ..	3,632 ..
Zinc (Bars) .. ..	1,000 cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	70 21	14 61	105 32	28 ..	84 ..	62 ..	121 ..	44 ..	46 ..	36 ..	39 ..	50 ..	699 ..

**EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES FROM AUSTRALIA IN EACH MONTH—EXPORT PRICES(a).**

Item.	Unit of Quantity.	Year.	July.	August.	Septem-ber.	October.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	January.	Febru-ary.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Average for Year.(b)
			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Wool, Greasy ..	lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	0 6.7 0 11.1	0 7.6 0 9.6	0 9.2 1 2.4	0 9.0 ..	0 9.0 ..	0 9.1 ..	0 9.3 ..	0 9.6 ..	0 9.1 ..	0 8.9 ..	0 9.1 ..	0 9.8 ..	0 9.1 ..
Wool, Scoured ..	lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	0 11.9 1 6.0	1 0.8 1 6.2	1 1.6 1 9.9	1 1.4 ..	1 1.3 ..	1 0.8 ..	1 0.0 ..	1 0.2 ..	1 0.0 ..	0 11.9 ..	1 1.5 ..	1 2.8 ..	1 1.0 ..
Sheepskins (with wool)	No.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	2 5.6 4 5.7	3 2.1 4 10.7	3 4.0 5 4.2	3 3.1 ..	2 11.3 ..	2 4.8 ..	1 10.4 ..	1 11.8 ..	1 8.8 ..	2 1.3 ..	2 8.0 ..	3 6.6 ..	2 7.8 ..
Wheat ..	bushel	{ 1932-33 1933-34	3 2.9 3 3.8	3 3.1 3 4.4	3 6.3 3 4.0	3 4.4 ..	3 2.3 ..	2 11.9 ..	2 11.1 ..	2 9.5 ..	2 9.7 ..	2 10.2 ..	2 11.8 ..	3 2.8 ..	2 11.7 ..
Flour ..	cental	{ 1932-33 1933-34	6 5.6 6 8.7	6 7.0 7 1.6	6 11.6 7 1.8	6 11.7 ..	6 7.9 ..	6 4.6 ..	6 5.4 ..	6 4.6 ..	6 5.9 ..	6 5.6 ..	6 6.5 ..	6 7.1 ..	6 6.9 ..
Butter ..	lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	0 11.4 0 9.4	0 11.7 0 9.7	1 0.1 0 11.3	0 11.6 ..	0 10.3 ..	0 9.5 ..	0 9.4 ..	0 8.8 ..	0 8.1 ..	0 7.7 ..	0 8.4 ..	0 9.4 ..	0 9.8 ..
Sugar..	cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	6 7.6 8 1.3	8 0.3 7 6.4	8 4.2 7 6.5	8 3.7 ..	7 10.2 ..	7 7.3 ..	7 6.1 ..	..	..	..	..	..	7 11.6 ..
Raisins ..	lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	0 4.8 0 4.5	0 4.4 0 4.4	0 5.2 0 4.8	0 4.7 ..	0 5.0 ..	0 4.5 ..	0 5.4 ..	0 5.5 ..	0 5.4 ..	0 5.4 ..	0 5.4 ..	0 5.3 ..	0 5.2 ..
Wine ..	gal.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	4 4.9 5 3.9	3 10.3 6 0.1	4 8.7 5 0.5	5 3.8 ..	5 2.9 ..	5 10.6 ..	4 8.4 ..	5 0.5 ..	4 7.3 ..	5 4.2 ..	5 8.0 ..	5 8.1 ..	5 1.3 ..
Beef ..	lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	0 2.9 0 2.7	0 2.7 0 2.5	0 2.8 0 2.7	0 3.0 ..	0 2.9 ..	0 3.1 ..	0 3.2 ..	0 3.2 ..	0 3.2 ..	0 3.0 ..	0 2.8 ..	0 2.7 ..	0 2.9 ..
Lamb ..	lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	0 4.0 0 4.6	0 4.0 0 4.9	0 4.1 0 5.3	0 4.2 ..	0 4.3 ..	0 4.5 ..	0 4.4 ..	0 4.2 ..	0 4.5 ..	0 4.4 ..	0 4.3 ..	0 4.6 ..	0 4.3 ..
Mutton ..	lb.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	0 2.8 0 2.8	0 2.6 0 2.9	0 2.9 0 2.8	0 2.9 ..	0 2.9 ..	0 3.1 ..	0 2.9 ..	0 2.8 ..	0 2.6 ..	0 2.6 ..	0 2.7 ..	0 2.8 ..	0 2.8 ..
Tallow ..	cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	21 8.7 20 0.5	21 1.1 21 1.4	21 9.5 21 2.3	20 11.7 ..	21 7.2 ..	22 0.8 ..	21 10.7 ..	20 11.1 ..	20 3.1 ..	19 11.9 ..	19 7.8 ..	20 2.6 ..	21 1.8 ..
Lead (Pig) ..	cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	11 1.8 14 1.0	12 6.4 13 7.4	14 0.2 13 1.2	12 8.6 ..	14 7.2 ..	13 7.8 ..	12 7.0 ..	12 4.0 ..	12 11.1 ..	12 4.9 ..	13 7.2 ..	15 7.6 ..	13 1.5 ..
Zinc (Bars) ..	cwt.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	15 1.8 16 6.1	14 1.6 19 0.1	14 4.1 19 3.2	16 8.3 ..	16 6.0 ..	17 0.8 ..	17 7.8 ..	18 2.3 ..	18 0.0 ..	18 0.1 ..	16 7.8 ..	16 6.0 ..	16 6.5 ..
Gold ..	fine oz.	{ 1932-33 1933-34	£ 7.159 £ 7.653	£ 7.315 £ 7.758	£ 7.323 £ 8.107	£ 7.492 ..	£ 7.760 ..	£ 7.760 ..	£ 7.560 ..	£ 7.450 ..	£ 7.425 ..	£ 7.446 ..	£ 7.615 ..	£ 7.548 ..	£ 7.508 ..

(a) Recorded values in Australian currency.

(b) Average price of total exports for the year.

# VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM AUSTRALIA.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.  
(Subject to revision.)

## IMPORTS (BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES).

Article.	September Quarter.		Year.	
	1932.	1933.	1931-32.	1932-33.
<b>CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, EXCLUDING LIVING ANIMALS.</b>	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
<b>Fish—</b>				
Preserved in Tins .. ..	82,595	81,933	442,510	477,908
Fresh, Smoked, Potted and Concentrated, &c. ..	34,086	46,268	157,245	143,482
<b>Meats—</b>				
Preserved in Tins .. ..	185	355	2,744	3,094
Potted and Concentrated ..	2,867	8,151	22,541	21,887
Sausage Casings .. ..	35,795	31,296	99,112	135,529
Other .. ..	115	214	1,033	2,186
Milk and Cream .. ..	3,150	1,115	8,761	9,594
Other Animal Foodstuffs ..	4,797	3,292	13,164	15,906
<b>Total, Class I. . . . .</b>	<b>163,590</b>	<b>172,624</b>	<b>747,110</b>	<b>809,586</b>
<b>CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN; NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND SUBSTANCES USED IN MAKING.</b>				
<b>Caramel, Caramel Paste, Caramel Butter and Cocoa Butter ..</b>	<b>12,584</b>	<b>13,108</b>	<b>33,562</b>	<b>37,188</b>
Cocoa and Chocolate .. ..	45,383	21,933	156,331	190,034
Coffee and Chicory .. ..	17,983	24,767	96,939	110,089
Confectionery .. ..	10,961	2,757	7,951	24,880
<b>Fruits—</b>				
Dried, including Dates ..	4,650	1,040	58,181	49,974
<b>Fresh—</b>				
Bananas .. ..	4,431	5,414	13,058	24,773
Other .. ..	153	147	1,160	2,754
Fruits and Vegetables, n.e.i. preserved in liquid .. ..	5,726	6,587	7,927	18,454
Ginger .. ..	7,945	6,383	30,615	27,074
<b>Grain and Pulse—</b>				
Unprepared .. ..	10,704	3,060	51,218	29,555
<b>Prepared—</b>				
Rice .. ..	2,311	3,185	21,869	19,130
Other .. ..	2,732	1,311	9,611	9,414
Infants' and Invalids' Foods ..	6,872	8,337	30,031	31,142
Liquorice .. ..	8,507	5,227	16,382	26,527
Mustard .. ..	10,071	10,526	54,559	66,951
Nuts—Edible .. ..	39,442	43,106	221,767	193,135
Pickles and Sauces .. ..	1,906	2,161	7,123	9,859
Sago and Tapioca .. ..	7,640	8,794	38,099	28,619
Seeds—Canary, Hemp and Rape ..	11,269	2,105	19,566	22,779
Spices .. ..	24,616	17,023	98,032	78,234
Sugar Products .. ..	5,081	5,050	9,461	12,226
Tea .. ..	315,537	564,786	1,365,626	1,270,952
Other Vegetable Foodstuffs ..	22,270	6,329	38,366	47,334
<b>Total, Class II. . . . .</b>	<b>578,774</b>	<b>763,136</b>	<b>2,387,434</b>	<b>2,331,077</b>

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<b>CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.</b>	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Ale, Beer, Porter, Cider and Perry	8,366	6,218	31,553	35,987
Spirits (Beverages)—				
Brandy .. .. .	3,733	3,637	7,327	15,436
Gin .. .. .	3,254	951	15,393	20,163
Rum .. .. .	526	687	926	3,161
Whisky .. .. .	58,265	88,520	166,369	359,922
Other, including Liqueurs ..	1,899	2,398	5,465	9,994
Wine (Fermented)—				
Sparkling .. .. .	823	2,467	805	6,421
Other .. .. .	2,154	1,887	4,100	9,611
Total, Class III. ..	79,020	106,765	231,938	460,695
<b>CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.</b>				
Tobacco—				
Manufactured .. .. .	5,432	2,560	19,058	13,293
Unmanufactured .. .. .	181,937	124,453	575,347	675,204
Cigars .. .. .	256	3,729	5,823	9,106
Cigarettes .. .. .	4,158	2,781	13,221	13,908
Snuff .. .. .	405	51	744	729
Total, Class IV. ..	192,188	133,574	614,193	712,240
<b>CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.</b> ..	11,682	21,867	34,432	48,240
<b>CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES (MAINLY UNMANUFACTURED), NOT FOODSTUFFS.</b>				
Gelatine and Glue of all kinds ..	5,206	788	20,405	14,112
Gut, Imitation and Natural ..	6,869	4,584	27,032	19,459
Hair and Fibre .. .. .	13,994	18,847	35,826	59,826
Hides and Skins—				
Calf, Cattle, Horse .. ..	72,035	42,435	123,431	199,707
Sheep .. .. .	3,293	2,219	9,436	13,981
Other .. .. .	49,757	55,741	159,773	216,097
Silk, Raw .. .. .	56,991	43,531	318,221	256,278
Wool .. .. .	930	26,450	79,068	37,040
Other Animal Substances ..	2,570	1,730	9,968	16,128
Total, Class VI. ..	211,645	196,325	783,160	832,628
<b>CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.</b>				
Copra .. .. .	29,676	17,906	136,657	137,073
Cork and Cork Manufactures ..	18,521	19,831	58,401	76,043
Fibres—				
Cotton, Raw .. .. .	38,729	5,094	20,050	86,935
Flax and Hemp, including Phormium Tenax ..	50,599	32,980	168,675	172,185
Kapok .. .. .	22,990	28,191	90,054	95,670
Other .. .. .	22,813	18,736	89,576	101,981
Grass or Straw for Hatmaking, Furniture, Mats, &c. ..	33,374	24,817	46,307	74,771
Gums and Resins .. .. .	43,170	56,439	161,862	175,512
Pulp for Papermaking .. ..	78,184	68,424	190,834	246,995
Seeds—				
Gardening and Horticultural ..	4,479	2,859	34,233	28,305
Linseed .. .. .	58,437	55,762	164,667	163,104
Other .. .. .	21,973	15,979	90,733	128,805
Tanning Substances .. .. .	13,666	9,169	42,302	52,882
Other Vegetable Substances ..	2,331	3,016	11,696	15,032
Total, Class VII. ..	438,992	359,203	1,306,047	1,555,293



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<b>CLASS VIII.—(a) APPAREL AND ATTIRE; (b) TEXTILES; (c) MANUFACTURED FIBRES.</b>				
<i>(a) Apparel and Attire.</i>				
Blouses, Skirts, Costumes, &c. (other than Knitted) ..	4,739	4,426	11,937	25,339
Boots and Shoes .. ..	41,247	32,882	133,441	143,497
Buttons .. ..	26,263	28,507	52,232	117,248
Furs and other Skins wholly or partly made up and dressed or prepared .. ..	17,990	11,737	73,642	134,775
Gloves .. ..	78,285	74,035	225,321	309,145
Hats and Caps .. ..	39,490	44,556	94,514	124,553
Knitted Articles of Apparel—Blouses, Skirts, Jumpers, Underwear, &c. .. ..	1,115	1,593	5,095	8,813
Socks and Stockings .. ..	2,124	2,058	3,516	7,024
Shirts, Collars, Ties, &c. ..	864	2,282	2,386	3,417
Trimmings and Ornaments ..	98,636	66,006	327,805	310,034
Other Apparel and Attire ..	18,488	27,849	75,749	94,448
Total, Apparel and Attire ..	329,391	295,931	1,005,638	1,278,293
<i>(b) Textiles.</i>				
Carpets, Linoleums and other Floor Coverings .. ..	222,702	223,275	468,134	838,655
Cosies, Cushions, D'Oyleys ..	7,940	9,119	42,556	27,770
Handkerchiefs and Serviettes of Cotton or Linen .. ..	44,576	44,365	76,481	107,157
Piece Goods—				
Canvas and Duck .. ..	121,173	107,206	252,495	381,635
Cotton and Linen .. ..	1,777,805	1,543,069	4,187,126	5,090,024
Hessian and Other Jute Piece Goods .. ..	120,837	68,666	378,425	444,886
Lace for Attire, &c. .. ..	46,065	31,408	132,817	154,102
Silk, or containing Silk .. ..	1,026,566	835,363	2,471,972	2,793,920
Velvets, Velvetenees, Plushes, &c. .. ..	41,992	23,971	252,595	299,562
Woollens .. ..	21,126	36,449	51,451	121,297
Other .. ..	166,136	90,969	593,870	823,265
Quilts, Tablecovers, Sheets, &c. Sewing and Other Cottons, Threads, &c. .. ..	31,973	36,793	76,334	121,361
Towels and Towelling .. ..	150,339	127,494	466,120	548,313
Other Textiles .. ..	85,950	82,223	229,108	295,690
Other Textiles .. ..	32,443	27,855	70,660	128,549
Total, Textiles .. ..	3,897,623	3,288,225	9,750,144	12,176,186
<i>(c) Yarns and Manufactured Fibres.</i>				
Bags and Sacks—				
Bran, Chaff and Compressed Fodder .. ..	25,208	31,117	128,795	170,932
Corn and Flour .. ..	240,176	111,814	1,374,385	2,014,691
Woolpacks .. ..	228,412	196,117	394,967	359,249
Other .. ..	13,845	12,150	33,188	51,329
Cordage and Twines, excluding Metal Cordage .. ..	25,781	33,924	58,257	101,962
Yarns—				
Artificial Silk .. ..	101,298	99,910	547,926	494,695
Cotton .. ..	192,276	112,809	470,801	587,396
Wool .. ..	9,046	6,022	35,603	52,414
Other .. ..	11,429	14,449	31,798	40,616
Total, Yarns and Manufactured Fibres .. ..	847,471	618,312	3,075,720	3,873,284
Total, Class VIII. .. ..	5,074,485	4,202,468	13,831,502	17,327,763

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<b>CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.</b>	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Fats and Waxes, &c. ..	42,268	42,933	128,516	148,504
Oils—				
Kerosene .. ..	200,614	123,690	434,589	623,625
Linseed .. ..	7,596	1,657	26,444	22,157
Lubricating (Mineral) ..	216,885	184,729	534,997	783,090
Olive .. ..	14,309	13,764	55,374	57,435
Petroleum .. ..	872,046	703,046	3,071,065	3,692,507
Residual .. ..	97,978	97,965	335,116	381,179
Turpentine and Substitutes..	32,543	33,372	93,546	105,431
Other .. ..	37,692	34,042	154,007	147,351
Total, Class IX. ..	1,521,931	1,235,198	4,833,654	5,961,279
<b>CLASS X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES.</b>				
Paints and Colours ..	70,237	73,243	237,718	288,027
Varnishes, Stains, Lacquers, &c.	2,320	2,278	12,246	8,151
Total, Class X. ..	72,557	75,521	249,964	296,178
<b>CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.</b>				
Asphalt, Bitumen and Natural Pitch .. ..	18,330	42,921	98,852	180,243
Stone (including Marble and Slate)—				
Abrasives .. ..	28,419	26,755	53,574	107,766
Other Stones .. ..	5,726	6,705	20,469	25,569
Other Minerals, &c., including Ores and Concentrates ..	11,992	21,929	61,700	68,083
Total, Class XI. ..	64,467	98,310	234,595	381,661
<b>CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY.</b>				
(a) <i>Machines and Machinery.</i>				
Electric Machinery and Appliances—				
Batteries and Accumulators ..	8,307	3,139	12,200	18,944
Cable and Wire, covered ..	90,706	89,162	274,082	376,300
Dynamo Electric Machines ..	19,725	71,237	171,583	119,165
Lamps, Filament—for Lighting and Heating .. ..	21,506	27,809	94,630	103,839
Telegraph Instruments, &c., Telephones and Telephone Switchboards ..	10,605	15,526	25,391	52,310
Other .. ..	245,588	151,113	646,438	747,015
Agricultural and Horticultural Machinery, &c. .. ..	17,855	17,805	47,690	83,837
Dairy Implements and Machinery ..	55,521	22,300	151,471	196,633
Metal-working Machinery ..	10,514	21,691	32,421	95,955
Mining Machinery .. ..	12,658	17,674	68,903	53,576
Motive-power Machinery (excluding electric) .. ..	77,291	92,890	299,031	354,899
Printing Machinery .. ..	59,848	19,798	57,336	103,455
Roller Bearings and Ball Bearings ..	27,074	23,745	56,930	91,318
Sewing Machines .. ..	21,007	24,072	62,625	112,187
Sheep Shearing Machinery .. ..	17,648	7,085	64,098	51,357
Weighing Machines .. ..	4,681	6,975	29,733	27,911
Yarn-making and Textile-making Machinery .. ..	86,783	59,945	160,743	304,705
Other Machines and Machinery ..	108,625	151,240	395,853	540,770
Total, Machines and Machinery ..	895,942	823,206	2,651,158	3,434,176

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<b>CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY—<i>continued.</i></b>	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
(b) <i>Metals and Manufactures, other than Machinery.</i>				
Alloys .. .. .	32,443	38,480	88,597	142,978
Aluminium—				
Blocks, Ingots, Angles, &c. ..	35,164	30,655	67,540	117,022
Bolts and Nuts, Rivets and Washers .. .. .	5,444	8,326	14,897	30,077
Iron and Steel—				
Bars, Rods, Hoop, Ingots, &c.	63,761	80,682	173,950	282,799
Beams, Channels, Girders, Joists, &c. .. ..	49	101	16,610	971
Pig and Scrap .. .. .	2,462	1,063	6,891	6,134
Pipes and Tubes .. .. .	85,962	105,828	272,480	416,307
Plate and Sheet—				
Galvanized—				
Corrugated .. .. .	..	5,333	28,456	9,043
Flat .. .. .	439	1,172	15,707	4,146
Plain .. .. .	64,703	60,045	163,103	285,074
Tinned .. .. .	252,799	282,073	826,426	1,098,740
Rails, Fishplates, Fishbolts, &c.	7,409	1,406	504	8,834
Wire .. .. .	30,034	21,256	58,283	98,149
Lamps and Lampware .. .. .	44,699	40,162	101,031	177,271
Leaf and Foil .. .. .	26,992	21,704	60,338	76,149
Nails .. .. .	10,107	8,711	41,474	38,074
Pins, Hooks, and Eyes .. .. .	12,688	11,491	34,054	41,082
Plated Ware and Cutlery .. .. .	97,335	89,942	195,502	342,988
Tools of Trade (not being Machines) .. .. .	138,887	140,561	304,030	515,181
Vehicles—				
Cycles and Cycle Parts .. .. .	63,259	75,121	142,554	286,435
Motor Cars—				
Bodies and Parts .. .. .	2,123	6,914	7,589	12,376
Chassis and parts .. .. .	246,705	447,396	467,564	1,577,359
Motor Cycles, Side Cars, &c. . .	10,240	16,513	31,168	76,900
Other, and parts .. .. .	23,227	35,184	98,701	126,271
Other Metals and Metal Manufactures .. .. .	232,153	265,600	691,191	904,205
Total, Metals and Manufactures	1,489,084	1,795,719	3,908,640	6,674,565
Total, Class XII. .. .. .	2,385,026	2,618,925	6,559,798	10,108,741
<b>CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER.</b>				
(a) <i>Rubber and Rubber Manufactures.</i>				
Crude Rubber, Rubber Waste, Masticated, &c. .. .. .	50,486	156,265	315,409	296,161
Rubber Manufactures—				
Boot and Apparel Elastic, Rubber Thread .. .. .	63,679	35,479	217,738	182,401
Tyres, Pneumatic and Other ..	3,791	3,315	11,133	19,825
Other .. .. .	20,407	17,298	66,982	75,531
Total, Rubber, &c. .. .. .	138,365	212,357	611,262	573,918
(b) <i>Leather and Manufactures of Leather.</i>				
Leather .. .. .	8,616	10,539	35,345	35,217
Leather Manufactures, &c. .. ..	7,069	7,494	21,494	28,855
Total, Leather, &c. .. .. .	15,685	18,033	56,839	64,072
Total, Class XIII. .. .. .	154,048	230,390	668,101	637,990

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<b>CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.</b>				
Timber—				
Dressed .. .. .	33,204	29,419	91,106	130,437
Undressed .. .. .	246,925	244,910	637,982	898,739
Wood and Wicker Manufactures, including Furniture ..	76,401	49,808	177,855	243,030
Total, Class XIV. ..	356,530	324,137	906,943	1,272,206
<b>CLASS XV.—EARTHENWARE, CEMENTS, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE.</b>				
Crockery and other Household Ware .. .. .	113,245	132,377	260,305	390,983
Glass and Glassware .. .. .	94,088	127,226	223,399	410,824
Other Earthenware, Cements, and Stoneware .. .. .	16,468	30,791	34,933	92,922
Total, Class XV. ..	223,801	290,394	518,637	894,729
<b>CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.</b>				
(a) <i>Paper.</i>				
Millboards and other boards ..	41,613	46,467	117,664	166,785
Parchment .. .. .	17,433	16,076	59,666	75,187
Printing .. .. .	481,353	371,695	1,661,603	1,818,052
Wrapping .. .. .	48,631	32,527	157,033	204,705
Writing and Typewriting .. ..	117,196	101,048	349,481	402,805
Other .. .. .	99,560	89,527	317,768	374,957
Total, Paper .. ..	805,786	657,340	2,663,215	3,042,491
(b) <i>Stationery and Paper Manufactures.</i>				
Books (printed), Directories, &c.	198,362	203,119	699,237	698,971
Price Lists, Catalogues, Circulars, &c. .. .. .	12,191	9,905	61,602	46,951
Paperhangings and Wallpapers ..	12,418	10,973	47,965	60,364
Pens and Pencils .. .. .	32,265	33,224	87,963	128,168
Other Stationery .. .. .	82,154	87,429	301,820	277,198
Total, Stationery, &c. ..	337,390	344,650	1,198,587	1,211,652
Total, Class XVI. ..	1,143,176	1,001,990	3,861,802	4,254,143
<b>CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIME-PIECES AND FANCY GOODS.</b>				
Fancy Goods—				
Articles used for games .. ..	23,659	23,853	88,536	65,298
Toys .. .. .	27,953	48,230	59,729	97,954
Other .. .. .	49,258	54,320	139,218	169,894
Jewellery—				
Precious Stones (Unset)—				
Pearls, Cameos, &c. .. ..	40,118	26,635	69,666	127,612
Other .. .. .	12,313	14,387	36,225	45,062
Timepieces, Watches, Clocks, &c.	41,534	57,819	93,058	186,459
Total, Class XVII. ..	194,835	225,244	486,432	692,279



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CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.				
Films for Kinematographs, &c...	124,512	126,579	563,460	529,122
Optical and Meteorological Instruments .. ..	22,165	20,749	55,029	74,247
Surgical and Dental Instruments, &c. .. ..	47,502	49,980	194,969	204,618
Talking Machines—Phonographs, &c. .. ..	9,017	6,342	38,349	30,013
Other Optical and Scientific Instruments .. ..	22,626	28,124	89,647	97,573
Total, Class XVIII. ..	225,822	231,774	941,454	935,573
CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS.				
Acids .. ..	23,243	22,906	75,131	100,336
Argol .. ..	59,225	37,965	189,345	213,321
Cream of Tartar and Substitutes .. ..	2,267	2,273	9,363	8,071
Cyanides of Potassium and Sodium .. ..	17,360	21,195	52,804	67,319
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations—				
Proprietary Medicines .. ..	55,792	52,842	182,089	203,064
Other .. ..	31,966	32,019	111,416	132,359
Dyes .. ..	72,749	44,895	198,092	249,338
Fertilizers .. ..	215,884	188,067	451,101	780,069
Insecticides, Disinfectants, Washes and Dips .. ..	11,519	8,479	28,087	31,870
Oils—Essential (non-spirituous) .. ..	20,249	16,359	73,089	76,761
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations .. ..	36,753	35,009	118,395	118,682
Potassium .. ..	20,922	20,497	70,741	91,976
Salt .. ..	8,542	9,517	32,982	36,900
Sodium Salts—				
Carbonate (Soda Ash) .. ..	24,284	53,310	106,473	119,583
Hydroxide (Caustic Soda) .. ..	26,566	23,038	99,549	94,025
Other .. ..	43,565	41,078	162,792	174,334
Spirits and Spirituous Preparations—				
Essences, Fruit Ethers, Flavours, Juices, Syrups .. ..	1,850	1,623	9,782	10,661
Other .. ..	9,191	10,816	16,954	28,123
Sulphur (Brimstone) .. ..	204,652	87,345	212,042	538,567
Other Drugs and Chemicals .. ..	153,954	136,793	470,461	590,331
Total, Class XIX. ..	1,040,533	846,026	2,670,688	3,665,690
CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.				
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives .. ..	137,679	91,602	349,805	539,749
Bags, Baskets, Boxes, Cases, Trunks, &c. .. ..	15,769	36,433	26,771	60,521
Brushware—				
Vacuum Cleaners (Household) .. ..	9,452	14,428	31,369	50,900
Other .. ..	8,547	13,957	20,620	36,475
Celluloid Sheets and Articles n.e.i. of Celluloid, Xylonite, &c. ..	38,171	28,322	96,992	110,303
Goods per parcel post .. ..	55,717	54,058	..	216,375

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<b>CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS—<i>continued.</i></b>	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Musical Instruments, &c.—				
Pianos .. .. .	1,017	1,340	364	2,707
Player Pianos .. ..	136	512	1,069	1,247
Piano and Player Piano Parts	245	218	229	517
Other Musical Instruments and Parts .. .. .	9,914	12,303	24,634	32,356
Oilmen's Stores .. ..	14,663	19,127	63,189	69,553
Outside Packages .. ..	397,477	359,886	1,213,562	1,526,936
Passengers' Personal and Household effects .. ..	29,303	29,639	105,251	125,284
Packings for Engines, Boilers, &c.	16,994	18,946	45,655	67,195
Soap .. .. .	6,769	7,018	10,150	24,427
Vessels (Ships), including Fittings	139,806	183,640	14,817	497,612
All other Articles .. ..	77,671	59,649	170,016	279,213
<b>Total, Class XX.</b> ..	<b>959,330</b>	<b>931,078</b>	<b>2,174,493</b>	<b>3,642,070</b>
<b>CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER AND BRONZE SPECIE.</b>				
Gold, including Gold in matte ..	274,617	328,998	653,724	1,135,750
Silver, including Silver in matte	17,633	4,032	16,672	29,537
Bronze Specie .. .. .	23	42	95	94
<b>Total, Class XXI.</b> ..	<b>292,273</b>	<b>333,072</b>	<b>670,491</b>	<b>1,165,381</b>
<b>SUMMARY.</b>				
Importing States—				
New South Wales .. ..	6,243,128	6,201,329	18,797,584	23,799,380
Victoria .. .. .	5,688,013	5,309,961	16,043,817	21,500,998
Queensland .. .. .	1,229,591	1,152,944	3,746,131	4,523,115
South Australia .. ..	1,085,756	818,254	2,821,538	3,766,983
Western Australia .. ..	1,000,449	763,296	2,728,963	3,821,363
Tasmania .. .. .	134,041	139,918	564,951	564,789
Northern Territory .. ..	3,727	12,319	9,884	8,814
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> .. ..	<b>15,384,705</b>	<b>14,398,021</b>	<b>44,712,868</b>	<b>57,985,442</b>

## BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES (STERLING).

	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS—</b>				
Merchandise .. .. .	15,092,432	14,064,949	44,042,662	56,820,061
Bullion and Specie .. ..	292,273	333,072	670,206	1,165,381
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> .. ..	<b>15,384,705</b>	<b>14,398,021</b>	<b>44,712,868</b>	<b>57,985,442</b>

## ESTIMATED AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY VALUES.

	£ A	£ A	£ A	£ A
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS—</b>				
Merchandise .. .. .	18,903,271	17,616,349	56,115,033	71,167,127
Bullion and Specie .. ..	366,072	417,173	852,241	1,459,639
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> .. ..	<b>19,269,343</b>	<b>18,033,522</b>	<b>56,967,274</b>	<b>72,626,766</b>

## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—continued.

## EXPORTS (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY VALUES).

Article.	September Quarter.		Year.	
	1932.	1933.	1931-32.	1932-33.
	£A	£A	£A	£A
<b>CLASS I.—FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN, EXCLUDING LIVING ANIMALS.</b>				
Butter .. ..	1,859,260	934,394	9,812,827	9,264,665
Butter Substitutes .. ..	103	675	5,675	789
Cheese .. ..	40,054	22,462	212,871	320,084
Eggs .. ..	360,266	422,832	554,958	1,018,614
Meats—				
Potted or Concentrated ..	8,226	3,141	33,893	19,829
Preserved by Cold Process—				
Beef .. ..	543,093	457,693	2,087,829	1,854,582
Lamb .. ..	537,216	320,372	2,219,975	2,165,175
Mutton .. ..	58,102	81,923	774,087	532,049
Rabbits and Hares ..	337,227	245,806	478,946	559,367
Preserved in Tins .. ..	48,308	38,121	139,301	187,426
Sausage Casings .. ..	43,097	56,699	182,976	213,761
Other .. ..	103,050	103,112	453,005	469,153
Milk and Cream .. ..	190,330	151,215	642,036	927,558
Other Animal Foodstuffs ..	3,560	7,193	26,080	22,761
<b>Total, Class I. ..</b>	<b>4,131,892</b>	<b>2,848,638</b>	<b>17,624,459</b>	<b>17,555,813</b>
<b>CLASS II.—FOODSTUFFS OF VEGETABLE ORIGIN; NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND SUBSTANCES USED IN MAKING.</b>				
Aerated Waters, Cocoa and Chocolate, Coffee and Chicory, Fruit Juices, &c. .. ..	8,174	12,725	46,579	37,257
Biscuits .. ..	15,061	15,400	65,229	68,396
Confectionery .. ..	11,042	12,277	48,342	45,893
Fodders .. ..	23,602	22,237	98,960	96,846
Fruits, Dried—				
Currants .. ..	72,381	126,157	597,698	450,369
Raisins .. ..	353,281	781,767	1,353,987	1,728,714
Other .. ..	8,507	27,650	14,220	51,764
Fruits, Fresh—				
Apples .. ..	7,705	33,883	1,701,569	1,951,913
Citrus .. ..	62,655	61,681	170,573	124,354
Other .. ..	17,148	3,556	213,455	341,632
Fruits, preserved in liquid ..	126,932	181,092	644,990	725,507
Fruits and Vegetables, pulped ..	2,469	9,540	33,716	53,396
Grain and Pulse—				
Unprepared—				
Barley .. ..	8,029	92,249	450,477	317,199
Wheat .. ..	2,237,600	3,137,369	19,220,203	17,804,849
Other .. ..	19,117	10,222	87,422	141,750
Prepared—				
Bran, Pollard and Sharps ..	34,960	29,564	312,003	190,450
Flour (Wheaten) .. ..	859,275	844,140	3,833,244	4,147,003
Rice .. ..	13,190	45,972	71,095	65,801
Other .. ..	6,112	3,873	15,043	21,746
Infants and Invalids' Foods ..	517	365	76,948	91,438
Jams and Fruit Jellies .. ..	11,774	16,103	44,630	47,695
Sugar .. ..	843,576	551,399	2,514,724	1,490,036
Tea .. ..	8,542	14,892	30,772	44,385
Other Vegetable Foodstuffs ..	19,142	19,632	132,920	69,209
<b>Total, Class II. ..</b>	<b>4,770,791</b>	<b>6,053,745</b>	<b>31,778,799</b>	<b>30,107,602</b>

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—EXPORTS—*continued.*

Article.	September Quarter.		Year.	
	1932.	1933.	1931-32.	1932-33.
<b>CLASS III.—SPIRITUOUS AND ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS.</b>	£A	£A	£A	£A
Ale, Beer, Porter, Cider and Perry	11,185	13,594	43,658	51,196
Spirits (Beverages) .. ..	5,287	10,874	23,608	31,178
Wine .. ..	99,972	175,381	908,542	790,191
Total, Class III. ..	116,444	199,849	975,808	872,565
<b>CLASS IV.—TOBACCO AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF.</b>				
Cigars, Cigarettes and Snuff ..	3,483	3,255	16,628	13,940
Tobacco .. ..	64,491	52,472	274,499	244,743
Total, Class IV. ..	67,974	55,727	291,127	258,683
<b>CLASS V.—LIVE ANIMALS.</b>				
Cattle .. ..	1,043	2,244	2,870	5,375
Horses .. ..	15,950	13,045	121,302	108,907
Sheep .. ..	5,501	4,722	16,822	21,498
Other Living Animals ..	1,783	2,029	8,382	6,422
Total, Class V. ..	24,277	22,040	149,376	142,202
<b>CLASS VI.—ANIMAL SUBSTANCES (MAINLY UNMANUFACTURED), NOT FOODSTUFFS.</b>				
Bêche-de-mer .. ..	8,532	5,837	27,178	27,770
Gelatine and Glue of all kinds ..	13,179	20,830	47,544	66,256
Hides and Skins—				
Calf, Cattle and Horse ..	71,899	138,135	220,022	303,926
Fox .. ..	79,704	136,175	56,435	105,356
Kangaroo and Wallaby ..	22,610	88,629	104,845	81,215
Opossum .. ..	3,681	4,509	333,209	29,177
Rabbit and Hare .. ..	173,342	514,959	488,736	460,182
Sheep .. ..	296,350	677,314	1,109,838	1,386,497
Other .. ..	421	1,761	2,509	2,238
Pearlshell .. ..	33,575	63,241	194,351	234,858
Trochus Shell .. ..	8,813	3,943	32,532	49,525
Wool—				
Greasy .. ..	3,502,644	6,432,785	28,984,317	32,103,402
Scoured and washed ..	957,284	1,719,646	2,870,524	4,027,823
Tops .. ..	55,151	133,927	248,055	271,993
Other Animal Substances ..	12,919	18,015	48,478	47,213
Total, Class VI. ..	5,240,104	9,959,706	34,768,573	39,197,431
<b>CLASS VII.—VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES AND FIBRES.</b>				
Bark, Tanning .. ..	3,519	7,592	42,289	35,892
Copra .. ..	1,360	..	7	1,360
Fibres—				
Cotton, raw .. ..	..	59	2,835	9,161
Other .. ..	3,659	11,471	19,496	16,979
Sandalwood .. ..	20,167	15,658	62,914	132,657
Seeds .. ..	5,253	7,259	30,041	31,972
Other Vegetable Substances ..	8,955	6,599	31,752	28,829
Total, Class VII. ..	42,913	48,638	189,334	256,850



VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—EXPORTS—*continued.*

Article.	September Quarter.		Year.	
	1932.	1933.	1931-32.	1932-33.
<b>CLASS VIII.—(a) APPAREL AND ATTIRE; (b) TEXTILES; (c) MANUFACTURED FIBRES.</b>	£A	£A	£A	£A
Boots and Shoes .. ..	12,094	20,057	53,487	53,336
Other Apparel and Attire ..	36,381	37,725	129,758	153,688
Piece Goods .. ..	28,597	68,175	106,773	161,516
Other Textiles .. ..	17,088	8,341	89,120	63,165
Manufactured Fibres, including Bags, Cordage and Yarns ..	10,313	19,989	57,736	65,334
<b>Total, Class VIII. ..</b>	<b>104,473</b>	<b>154,287</b>	<b>436,874</b>	<b>497,039</b>
<b>CLASS IX.—OILS, FATS AND WAXES.</b>				
Fats and Waxes .. ..	6,980	7,856	52,610	42,267
Oils .. ..	25,026	19,415	77,203	136,532
Tallow, unrefined .. ..	156,396	179,935	831,447	790,686
<b>Total, Class IX. ..</b>	<b>188,402</b>	<b>207,206</b>	<b>961,260</b>	<b>969,485</b>
<b>CLASS X.—PAINTS AND VARNISHES.</b>	<b>14,939</b>	<b>16,042</b>	<b>52,166</b>	<b>60,931</b>
<b>CLASS XI.—STONES AND MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES AND CONCENTRATES.</b>				
Coal .. ..	77,874	75,145	341,800	281,512
Ores and Concentrates—				
Silver and Silver-lead ..	32	85,761	38,073	99,672
Zinc .. ..	29,422	65,698	106,078	178,379
Other .. ..	8,021	71,384	52,182	61,105
Other Stones and Minerals ..	1,198	2,758	10,440	9,601
<b>Total, Class XI. ..</b>	<b>116,547</b>	<b>300,746</b>	<b>548,573</b>	<b>630,269</b>
<b>CLASS XII.—METALS, METAL MANUFACTURES AND MACHINERY.</b>				
(a) <i>Machines and Machinery.</i>				
Machines and Machinery ..	119,987	122,962	586,972	520,394
(b) <i>Metals and Metal Manufactures other than Machinery.</i>				
Copper—Ingots, and in matte ..	102,385	132,605	469,003	248,605
Iron and Steel—Manufactured and partly manufactured ..	50,012	64,494	160,388	217,899
Lead—Pig, and in matte ..	675,118	690,595	2,267,924	2,384,062
Metals, Scrap, except Iron and Steel .. ..	7,146	10,975	34,205	29,715
Platinum, Osmium, &c. ..	939	1,975	22,600	5,257
Tin—Ingots .. ..	60,218	72,979	124,963	189,773
Vehicles .. ..	29,961	26,796	133,194	114,660
Zinc—Bars, Blocks, &c. ..	138,311	106,390	697,120	578,448
Other Metals, and manufactures thereof .. ..	71,706	99,866	249,444	336,649
<b>Total, Class XII. ..</b>	<b>1,255,783</b>	<b>1,329,637</b>	<b>4,745,813</b>	<b>4,625,462</b>

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—EXPORTS—*continued.*

Article.	September Quarter.		Year.	
	1932.	1933.	1931-32.	1932-33.
<b>CLASS XIII.—RUBBER AND LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF AND SUBSTITUTES THEREFOR.</b>	£A	£A	£A	£A
Rubber and Manufactures ..	12,898	19,329	52,278	57,408
Leather .. ..	88,231	170,124	391,364	394,238
Leather Manufactures, &c. ..	6,545	6,355	17,362	26,428
Total, Class XIII. ..	107,674	195,808	461,004	478,074
<b>CLASS XIV.—WOOD AND WICKER, RAW AND MANUFACTURED.</b>				
Timber .. ..	58,192	117,989	515,674	316,664
Wood and Wicker Manufactures, including Furniture ..	20,272	24,702	77,661	82,625
Total, Class XIV. ..	78,464	142,691	593,335	399,289
<b>CLASS XV. — EARTHENWARE, CEMENTS, CHINA, GLASS AND STONEWARE</b> .. ..	22,269	28,030	75,065	84,349
<b>CLASS XVI.—PAPER AND STATIONERY.</b>				
Paper .. ..	11,572	12,775	55,818	47,190
Stationery .. ..	34,343	33,516	128,951	139,755
Total, Class XVI. ..	45,915	46,291	184,769	186,945
<b>CLASS XVII.—JEWELLERY, TIMEPIECES AND FANCY GOODS.</b>				
Precious Stones, unset, Pearls, Cameos, &c. .. ..	4,966	8,172	48,032	33,177
Other Jewellery, Timepieces and Fancy Goods .. ..	11,077	22,057	51,465	65,107
Total, Class XVII. ..	16,043	30,229	99,497	98,284
<b>CLASS XVIII.—OPTICAL, SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS.</b>				
Films for Kinematographs, &c.	31,157	30,535	132,159	143,370
Photographic Goods and Materials	7,024	7,907	47,740	44,323
Talking Machines, Phonographs, &c. .. ..	11,583	7,208	67,996	36,652
Other Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments ..	11,302	7,756	25,244	36,840
Total, Class XVIII. ..	61,066	53,406	273,139	261,185
<b>CLASS XIX.—DRUGS, CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS.</b>				
Casein .. ..	3,862	1,518	23,431	14,349
Fertilizers .. ..	542	1,715	12,258	2,995
Medicines .. ..	21,699	24,781	84,252	80,613
Oils—				
Essential (non-spirituous), N.E.I.	5,092	4,191	59,718	26,457
Eucalyptus .. ..	12,580	10,643	40,977	40,075
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations .. ..	13,858	19,111	54,928	53,220
Other Drugs and Chemicals ..	48,045	59,198	196,432	250,925
Total, Class XIX. ..	105,678	121,157	471,996	468,634

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—EXPORTS—*continued.*

Article.	September Quarter.		Year.	
	1932.	1933.	1931-32.	1932-33.
<b>CLASS XX.—MISCELLANEOUS.</b>	£A	£A	£A	£A
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives .. ..	24,535	28,962	80,988	75,180
Oilmen's Stores .. ..	9,874	7,355	40,033	43,259
Personal and Household Effects, &c. .. ..	23,612	23,781	94,950	77,485
Soap .. ..	33,608	35,939	195,019	166,301
Vessels (Ships) transferred abroad	12,075	55,000	27,775	103,800
All other Articles .. ..	33,682	47,754	152,625	123,380
<b>Total, Class XX. ..</b>	<b>137,386</b>	<b>198,791</b>	<b>591,390</b>	<b>589,405</b>
<b>CLASS XXI.—GOLD AND SILVER; AND BRONZE SPECIE.</b>				
Gold, including Gold in matte ..	2,189,046	2,153,398	11,892,672 <sup>a</sup>	22,547,372 <sup>b</sup>
Silver, including Silver in matte	184,545	334,363	752,437	975,338
Bronze Specie .. ..	3,970	1,699	49,677	13,978
<b>Total, Class XXI. ..</b>	<b>2,377,561</b>	<b>2,489,460</b>	<b>12,694,786</b>	<b>23,536,688</b>
<b>SUMMARY.</b>				
States of Final Shipment—				
New South Wales .. ..	6,884,166	8,973,752	34,608,871	46,725,696
Victoria .. ..	3,816,684	4,543,880	27,587,320	29,951,002
Queensland .. ..	3,875,586	4,400,114	16,106,067	15,279,746
South Australia .. ..	2,318,524	3,069,421	12,247,406	12,781,061
Western Australia .. ..	1,945,767	3,290,629	14,816,420	14,012,167
Tasmania .. ..	180,600	222,651	2,580,435	2,515,934
Northern Territory .. ..	5,268	1,677	20,624	11,579
<b>Total { Australian Produce</b>	<b>18,499,251</b>	<b>23,797,135</b>	<b>105,836,047</b>	<b>118,699,136</b>
<b>Other Produce ..</b>	<b>527,344</b>	<b>704,989</b>	<b>2,131,096</b>	<b>2,578,049</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL ..</b>	<b>19,026,595</b>	<b>24,502,124</b>	<b>107,967,143</b>	<b>121,277,185</b>

## AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY VALUES.

TOTAL EXPORTS—	£A	£A	£A	£A
Merchandise .. ..	16,649,034	22,012,664	95,272,357	97,740,497
Bullion and Austr'n Produce	2,155,633	2,156,039	12,118,880	22,294,495
Specie { Other Produce	221,928	333,421	575,906	1,242,193
<b>GRAND TOTAL ..</b>	<b>19,026,595</b>	<b>24,502,124</b>	<b>107,967,143</b>	<b>121,277,185</b>

## ESTIMATED BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.

TOTAL EXPORTS—	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Merchandise .. ..	13,292,642	17,574,980	74,838,385	78,036,327
Bullion and Specie .. ..	1,901,907	1,995,030	10,164,246	18,825,229
<b>GRAND TOTAL ..</b>	<b>15,194,549</b>	<b>19,570,010</b>	<b>85,002,631</b>	<b>96,861,556</b>
<b>VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN GOLD PRODUCTION (c) ..</b>	<b>£A 1,339,263</b>	<b>£A 1,730,896</b>	<b>£A 4,522,574</b>	<b>£A 5,741,000</b>

(a) Includes £(g)2,001,116 gold pounds shipped overseas from the Gold Reserve of the Australian Notes Fund, estimated value in Australian Currency £(A)3,296,438 and estimated value in sterling £(stg.)2,670,489. (b) Includes £(g)7,999,412 gold pounds shipped overseas from the Gold Reserve of the Australian Notes Fund, estimated value in Australian Currency £(A)14,082,352 and estimated value in sterling £(stg.)11,265,636. (c) Australian currency values.

**PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE of  
Australian Origin exported from each State to Various Countries.**

NOTE.—In these tables exports are shown against the State from which the goods were finally shipped oversea.

**BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED.**

SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1932-33 AND 1933-34.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aus- tralia.	Western Aus- tralia.	Tas- mania.	Australia— Three months.	
							1933-34.	1932-33.

**QUANTITY.**

	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	19,646	54,408	82,357	19,340	1,933	..	177,684	347,109
Ceylon ..	38	433	364	..	..	..	835	870
Hong Kong ..	449	39	151	..	..	..	639	2,443
India ..	97	199	27	..	1	..	324	147
Malaya (British)	1,848	1,763	34	11	..	..	3,656	2,111
Mauritius ..	..	329	..	..	..	..	329	356
Pacific Islands ..	462	50	205	..	..	..	717	584
Other British Countries ..	269	542	..	..	..	..	811	259
Belgium ..	..	59	..	..	..	..	59	125
China ..	1,592	381	1,634	..	..	..	3,607	1,853
Egypt ..	336	27	2,423	..	..	..	2,786	3,238
Germany ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
Japan ..	40	..	..	..	..	..	40	32
Netherlands East Indies ..	4,668	13,167	951	14	..	..	18,800	16,513
Pacific Islands	459	..	..	..	..	..	459	503
Panama ..	..	106	..	..	..	..	106	..
Philippine Islands	1,221	164	740	..	..	..	2,125	1,535
Other Foreign Countries ..	22	377	50	..	..	..	449	305
<b>Total—</b>								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	31,147	72,044	88,936	19,365	1,934	..	213,426	..
1932-33 ..	32,865	195,346	112,266	32,733	4,796	..	..	378,006

**VALUE (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY).**

	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	95,546	246,582	349,207	83,184	10,210	..	784,729	1,699,742
Ceylon ..	210	1,909	1,630	..	..	..	3,749	4,165
Hong Kong ..	2,324	177	576	..	..	..	3,077	13,402
India ..	541	858	104	..	6	..	1,509	883
Malaya (British)	3,262	7,052	161	53	..	..	10,528	10,647
Mauritius ..	..	1,420	..	..	..	..	1,420	1,852
Pacific Islands ..	2,380	217	1,189	..	..	..	3,786	3,560
Other British Countries ..	1,069	2,437	..	..	..	..	3,506	1,407
Belgium ..	..	238	..	..	..	..	238	625
China ..	6,848	1,639	6,819	..	..	..	15,306	9,489
Egypt ..	1,416	120	10,495	..	..	..	12,031	16,458
Germany ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	115
Japan ..	158	..	..	..	..	..	158	152
Netherlands East Indies ..	19,981	56,491	4,481	62	..	..	81,015	84,124
Pacific Islands	2,343	..	..	..	..	..	2,343	2,920
Panama ..	..	461	..	..	..	..	461	1
Philippine Islands	4,574	748	3,231	..	..	..	8,553	8,177
Other Foreign Countries ..	116	1,629	240	..	..	..	1,985	1,551
<b>Total—</b>								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	140,768	321,978	378,133	83,299	10,216	..	934,394	..
1932-33 ..	168,038	977,656	526,532	157,151	29,893	..	..	1,859,270



**FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED.**  
**SEPTEMBER QUARTER, 1932-33 AND 1933-34.**

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aus- tralia.	Western Aus- tralia.	Tas- mania.	Australia— Three Months.	
							1933-34.	1932-33.
QUANTITY.								
United Kingdom	Cental. 417,376	Cental. 305,420	Cental. ..	Cental. 121,657	Cental. 102,530	Cental. ..	Cental. 946,983	Cental. 291,811
Ceylon ..	..	64,052	..	12,607	1,658	..	78,317	104,831
Cyprus ..	2,798	..	..	..	1,119	..	3,917	2,238
Hong Kong ..	63,590	53,527	..	..	..	..	117,117	295,597
Malaya (British)	129,350	21,752	..	7,661	107,700	..	266,403	225,583
Malta ..	10,048	40,722	..	..	2,240	..	53,010	15,235
Mauritius ..	10,199	17,362	..	6,619	..	..	34,180	37,687
New Zealand ..	7,814	835	..	..	..	..	8,649	15,283
Pacific Islands	32,834	1,416	48	494	..	..	34,792	27,084
South African	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Union ..	..	3,634	..	1,250	..	..	4,884	300
Sudan ..	35,438	12,744	..	550	3,340	..	52,072	48,328
Other British	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Countries ..	66,718	18,365	..	..	7,003	..	92,086	39,338
Africa, Portu- guese East ..	231	28,243	..	178	171	..	28,823	23,060
Africa, Portu- guese West ..	224	16,604	..	296	..	..	17,124	10,470
China ..	2,618	638	..	..	6,600	..	9,856	173,343
Egypt ..	12,579	10,397	..	8,822	5,510	..	37,308	209,172
Madagascar ..	897	11,370	..	..	..	..	12,267	7,935
Netherlands East	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indies ..	148,771	174,915	..	11,879	58,273	..	393,838	334,532
Pacific Islands	39,223	..	..	..	..	..	39,223	35,362
Philippine Islands	64,656	13,644	..	..	..	..	78,300	54,441
Siam ..	8,842	28,547	..	..	..	..	37,389	41,234
Other Foreign	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Countries ..	13,219	23,275	..	3,673	27,849	..	68,016	579,363
Total— Three Months—								
1933-34 ..	1,067,425	847,462	48	175,686	323,993	..	2,414,614	..
1932-33 ..	1,095,697	961,836	90	207,521	307,083	..	..	2,572,227

**VALUE (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY).**

	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	131,931	106,497	..	40,255	34,227	..	312,910	92,513
Ceylon ..	..	22,854	..	4,611	583	..	28,048	36,028
Cyprus ..	1,018	..	..	..	364	..	1,382	784
Hong Kong ..	22,386	20,038	..	..	..	..	42,424	97,124
Malaya (British)	46,180	7,992	..	2,655	36,913	..	93,740	77,364
Malta ..	3,477	14,726	..	..	742	..	18,945	4,443
Mauritius ..	3,778	5,636	..	2,296	..	..	11,710	12,537
New Zealand ..	3,302	307	..	..	..	..	3,609	6,260
Pacific Islands	12,114	603	26	177	..	..	12,920	11,270
South African	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Union ..	..	1,439	..	448	..	..	1,887	105
Sudan ..	11,861	4,331	..	150	1,088	..	17,430	15,038
Other British	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Countries ..	24,424	7,055	..	..	2,438	..	33,917	13,835
Africa, Portu- guese East ..	106	9,806	..	64	66	..	10,042	7,605
Africa, Portu- guese West ..	108	5,817	..	92	..	..	6,017	3,603
China ..	941	220	..	..	1,956	..	3,117	61,624
Egypt ..	4,533	3,374	..	2,870	1,845	..	12,622	68,162
Madagascar ..	288	3,927	..	..	..	..	4,215	2,670
Netherlands East	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indies ..	54,908	64,087	..	4,354	20,747	..	144,096	112,163
Pacific Islands	15,744	..	..	..	..	..	15,744	14,642
Philippine Islands	25,655	5,026	..	..	..	..	30,681	22,166
Siam ..	3,082	9,951	..	..	..	..	13,033	13,001
Other Foreign	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Countries ..	5,783	8,124	..	1,926	9,818	..	25,651	186,338
<b>Total—</b>								
Three Months—								
1933-34 ..	371,619	301,810	26	59,898	110,787	..	844,140	..
1932-33 ..	378,045	313,712	53	64,304	103,161	..	..	859,275

**WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED.**  
**SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1932-33 AND 1933-34.**

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aus- tralia.	Western Aus- tralia.	Tas- mania.	Australia— Three Months.	
							1933-34. (a)	1932-33.
QUANTITY.								
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	282,179	89,133	..	1,611,629	1,854,310	..	3,837,251	2,588,547
United Kingdom (for orders) ..	613,092	171,413	..	..	..	..	784,505	171,294
India ..	..	68	..	..	..	..	68	..
Irish Free State	487,550	..	..	..	..	..	487,550	..
Irish Free State (for orders) ..	174,708	..	..	..	..	..	174,708	..
Malta ..	..	11,068	..	..	11,411	..	22,479	36,049
New Zealand ..	377	..	..	..	..	..	377	521,551
South African Union ..	..	2,240	..	2,309	..	..	4,549	7,527
Other British Countries ..	2,669	673	7	9,078	6,223	..	18,650	43,020
Africa, French West (for orders) ..	376,966	..	..	230,354	366,235	..	973,555	..
Canary Islands (for orders) ..	1,092,318	578,674	..	701,573	2,464	..	2,375,029	516,493
Chile ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	66,692
China ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,655,824
Egypt ..	..	11,201	..	5,537	..	..	16,738	..
Italy ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27,698
Japan ..	22,400	675,730	..	456,308	..	..	1,154,438	1,506,920
Peru ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	120,654
Russia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	192,814
Other Foreign Countries ..	689	17,974	..	4,115	11,199	..	33,977	65,301
For Orders ..	228,520	..	..	..	1,163,654	..	1,392,174	494,762
Total— Three Months—								
1933-34 ..	3,281,468	1,558,174	7	3,020,903	3,415,496	..	11,276,048	..
1932-33 ..	1,289,614	2,121,644	22	3,095,492	1,508,374	..	..	8,015,146

**VALUE (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY).**

	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	94,795	25,990	..	432,006	529,545	..	1,082,336	711,422
United Kingdom (for orders) ..	167,644	52,788	..	..	..	..	220,432	48,772
India ..	..	24	..	..	..	..	24	..
Irish Free State	131,359	..	..	..	..	..	131,359	..
Irish Free State (for orders) ..	47,835	..	..	..	..	..	47,835	..
Malta ..	..	3,588	..	..	3,540	..	7,128	9,977
New Zealand ..	139	..	..	..	..	..	139	144,665
South African Union ..	..	776	..	932	..	..	1,708	2,292
Other British Countries ..	876	208	3	3,138	1,827	..	6,052	12,404
Africa, French West (for orders) ..	106,688	..	..	69,290	106,568	..	282,546	..
Canary Islands (for orders) ..	302,394	168,272	..	185,213	719	..	656,598	138,000
Chile ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,715
China ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	475,986
Egypt ..	..	2,753	..	1,441	..	..	4,194	..
Italy ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,176
Japan ..	6,728	184,873	..	121,818	..	..	313,419	418,270
Peru ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32,044
Russia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	49,085
Other Foreign Countries ..	239	4,974	..	1,571	3,189	..	9,973	17,509
For Orders ..	65,568	..	..	..	308,058	..	373,626	151,283
<b>Total—</b>								
Three Months—								
1933-34 ..	924,265	444,246	3	815,409	953,446	..	3,137,369	..
1932-33 ..	388,081	582,208	10	842,494	424,807	..	..	2,237,600

(a) Preliminary figures.

## WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE), EXPORTED.

SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1932-33 AND 1933-34.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aus- tralia.	Western Aus- tralia.	Tas- mania.	Australia— Three Months.	
							1933-34.	1932-33.

## QUANTITY.

	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	146,263	25,321	72,021	34,532	64,972	1,121	344,230	318,100
India ..	..	447	..	..	45	..	492	1
Belgium ..	44,258	14,314	43,500	20,117	13,637	..	135,826	104,734
China ..	699	52	..	..	..	..	52	..
Czechoslovakia ..	..	699	1,051	..	..	..	1,750	1,410
France ..	30,524	11,472	49,889	1,776	12,646	..	106,307	171,123
Germany ..	106,583	10,673	76,515	16,039	17,472	..	227,282	179,708
Italy ..	12,108	7,359	35,642	2,225	3,055	..	60,389	45,635
Japan ..	165,821	18,978	78,476	1,579	213	..	265,067	171,065
Netherlands ..	789	..	6,983	..	..	..	7,772	..
Norway ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	160
Poland ..	3,653	..	5,716	2,253	1,831	..	13,453	639
Spain ..	220	..	151	..	..	..	371	3,110
Sweden ..	..	..	..	492	..	..	492	613
Switzerland ..	..	..	1,783	..	..	..	1,783	444
United States of America ..	1,484	6,892	5,250	495	194	..	14,315	339
Total—								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	512,402	95,508	376,977	79,508	114,065	1,121	1,179,581	..
1932-33 ..	481,831	18,036	376,052	76,678	44,484	..	..	997,081

## VALUE (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY).

	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A*	£A
United Kingdom	817,412	143,729	395,424	214,055	358,238	6,076	1,934,934	1,076,063
India ..	..	1,250	..	..	100	..	1,350	4
Belgium ..	217,466	66,238	206,545	99,707	64,512	..	654,468	337,290
China ..	..	182	..	..	..	..	182	..
Czechoslovakia ..	..	..	5,391	..	..	..	9,558	4,705
France ..	4,167	49,630	243,429	9,079	65,464	..	523,363	622,953
Germany ..	155,761	57,691	411,828	90,850	93,766	..	1,255,009	673,203
Italy ..	601,774	31,123	198,698	10,995	13,398	..	325,756	174,125
Japan ..	71,542	82,045	409,264	8,753	1,006	..	1,501,769	593,822
Netherlands ..	1,000,701	5,417	34,178	..	..	..	39,595	..
Norway ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	584
Poland ..	..	..	26,203	13,261	10,056	..	73,155	2,462
Spain ..	23,635	..	819	..	..	..	2,351	10,210
Sweden ..	1,532	..	..	2,828	..	..	2,828	3,137
Switzerland ..	..	..	10,932	..	..	..	10,932	2,323
United States of America ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11,539	50,209	30,371	3,117	1,399	..	..	96,635	1,763
Total—								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	2,910,946	482,097	1,973,082	452,645	607,939	6,076	6,432,785	..
1932-33 ..	1,750,699	60,627	1,286,576	272,975	131,767	..	..	3,502,644

## WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE), EXPORTED.

SEPTEMBER QUARTER, 1932-33 and 1933-34.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aus- tralia.	Western Aus- tralia.	Tas- mania.	Australia— Three months.	
							1933-34.	1932-33.
QUANTITY.								
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	21,016	18,408	36,444	8,378	2,567	342	87,155	88,347
Canada (a)	4,838	..	..	..	..	..	4,838	2,886
" (a)	3,868	3,537	..	..	..	..	7,405	1,233
" (a)	4,792	..	..	..	..	..	4,792	1,854
Hong Kong	303	..	..	..	..	..	303	414
India ..	..	704	33	..	..	..	737	1,862
" (a)	132	..	..	..	..	..	132	946
New Zealand	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	884
" (a)	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	38
Belgium	23,796	7,470	8,682	2,548	1,253	..	43,749	24,850
China..	..	23	..	..	..	..	23	..
" (a)	260	50	..	..	..	..	310	..
Denmark	..	85	217	..	..	..	302	409
France	9,610	2,055	5,352	252	107	45	17,421	27,355
Germany	20,572	3,914	12,419	184	827	..	37,916	23,419
Italy ..	786	3,403	2,788	8	..	..	6,935	2,429
Japan	2,110	3,884	..	..	..	30	6,024	2,244
" (a)	221	107	..	..	..	..	328	..
Netherlands	72	1,252	405	..	..	..	1,729	..
Poland	6,486	259	195	..	..	..	6,940	3,802
Spain	..	..	69	..	..	..	69	609
Sweden	..	309	..	..	..	..	309	929
United States of America ..	254	..	..	..	..	..	254	..
Other Foreign Countries ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	470
Total—								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	99,117	45,462	66,554	11,370	4,754	417	227,674	..
1932-33 ..	96,200	27,864	51,538	7,970	727	681	..	184,980

(a) Wool Tops.

## VALUE (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY).

	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	146,143	113,156	294,875	53,633	18,117	1,350	627,274	429,481
Canada" (a)	64,011	..	..	..	..	..	64,011	26,371
" (a)	25,589	24,102	..	..	..	..	49,691	6,488
Hong Kong	59,341	..	..	..	..	..	59,341	20,455
India ..	1,903	..	..	..	..	..	1,903	2,107
" (a)	1,786	4,354	295	..	..	..	4,649	7,904
New Zealand	2	..	..	..	..	..	1,786	7,870
" (a)	..	13	..	..	..	..	2	5,063
Belgium	201,201	59,189	76,785	19,360	11,174	..	367,709	133,500
China..	..	274	..	..	..	..	274	..
" (a)	3,173	674	..	..	..	..	3,847	..
Denmark	..	585	2,765	..	..	..	3,350	3,085
France	77,928	12,616	44,998	1,225	1,067	320	138,154	173,644
Germany	186,367	27,039	120,680	2,301	5,874	..	342,261	138,895
Italy ..	5,005	19,430	25,581	67	..	..	50,083	14,625
Japan	14,847	24,223	..	..	..	150	39,220	11,455
" (a)	3,984	945	..	..	..	..	4,929	..
Netherlands	390	6,603	4,088	..	..	..	11,081	..
Poland	74,620	2,566	1,672	..	..	..	78,858	19,484
Spain	..	..	484	..	..	..	484	3,485
Sweden	..	1,554	..	..	..	..	1,554	5,182
United States of America ..	3,099	..	..	..	..	..	3,099	..
Other Foreign Countries ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,886
Total—								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	869,389	297,323	572,223	76,586	36,232	1,820	1,853,573	..
1932-33 ..	539,932	130,698	300,809	35,400	2,696	2,900	..	1,012,435

(a) Wool Tops.



## BEEF, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE), EXPORTED.

SEPTEMBER QUARTER 1932-33 AND 1933-34.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aus- tralia.	Western Aus- tralia.	Tas- mania.	Australia— Three Months.	
							1933-34.	1932-33.

## QUANTITY.

	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	6,442	6,210	266,834	..	68,164	..	347,650	347,796
Canada ..	..	..	248	..	..	..	248	..
Ceylon ..	631	524	450	..	..	..	1,605	1,014
Gibraltar ..	..	..	2,027	..	..	..	2,027	230
Hong Kong ..	..	..	1,053	..	..	..	1,053	1,281
Malaya (British)	114	10	9,174	..	..	..	9,298	8,552
Malta ..	31	..	5,600	..	..	..	5,631	3,627
Pacific Islands ..	991	196	148	..	..	..	1,335	862
Other British Countries ..	24	5	..	..	..	..	29	4
Belgium ..	..	..	17,225	..	12,300	..	29,525	65,658
China ..	..	..	1,881	..	..	..	1,881	2,450
Egypt ..	112	1,678	6,446	..	..	..	8,236	24,101
Japan ..	..	544	7,020	..	..	..	7,564	5,537
Netherlands East Indies ..	17	6	30	..	679	..	732	163
Pacific Islands ..	30	..	..	..	..	..	30	144
Philippine Islands	96	13	6,710	..	..	..	6,819	11,025
Other Foreign Countries ..	92	..	..	..	..	..	92	20
Total— Three months—								
1933-34 ..	8,580	9,186	324,846	..	81,143	..	423,755	..
1932-33 ..	15,620	1,870	366,290	..	88,684	..	..	472,404

## VALUE (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY).

	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	7,096	7,503	294,876	..	62,123	..	371,598	401,883
Canada ..	..	..	310	..	..	..	310	..
Ceylon ..	1,005	1,404	643	..	..	..	3,052	1,869
Gibraltar ..	..	..	1,860	..	..	..	1,860	268
Hong Kong ..	..	..	958	..	..	..	958	1,825
Malaya (British)	244	56	13,104	..	..	..	13,404	12,992
Malta ..	64	..	6,998	..	..	..	7,062	4,615
Pacific Islands ..	2,293	367	299	..	..	..	2,959	2,262
Other British Countries ..	59	17	..	..	..	..	76	9
Belgium ..	..	..	17,524	..	10,214	..	27,738	66,042
China ..	..	..	2,048	..	..	..	2,048	2,993
Egypt ..	187	2,359	6,102	..	..	..	8,648	27,227
Japan ..	..	738	7,399	..	..	..	8,137	5,539
Netherlands East Indies ..	35	11	36	..	933	..	1,015	180
Pacific Islands ..	75	..	..	..	..	..	75	355
Philippine Islands	203	33	8,320	..	..	..	8,556	14,985
Other Foreign Countries ..	197	..	..	..	..	..	197	49
Total— Three months—								
1933-34 ..	11,458	12,488	360,477	..	73,270	..	457,693	..
1932-33 ..	26,869	2,366	425,514	..	88,344	..	..	543,093

## MUTTON AND LAMB, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED.

SEPTEMBER QUARTER, 1932-33 AND 1933-34.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Australia—Three Months.	
							1933-34.	1932-33.

## QUANTITY.

	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	163,351	16,749	10,270	19,544	2,146	..	212,060	353,998
Canada ..	..	..	6	..	..	..	6	116
Ceylon ..	779	254	16	..	..	..	1,049	791
Gibraltar ..	82	101	11	..	..	..	194	185
Hong Kong ..	625	36	..	..	..	..	661	951
India ..	47	14	..	..	..	..	61	7
Malaya (British)	738	43	990	..	..	..	1,771	2,628
Malta ..	1,120	548	14	..	..	..	1,682	2,500
Pacific Islands ..	617	90	19	..	..	..	726	561
Other British Countries ..	26	..	..	..	..	..	26	..
Belgium ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,181
Egypt ..	641	..	..	..	..	..	641	1,044
France ..	771	920	..	..	..	..	1,691	2,359
Japan ..	52	..	68	..	..	..	120	112
Pacific Islands ..	44	..	..	..	..	..	44	18
Panama ..	373	..	..	..	..	..	373	10
Philippine Islands	382	30	..	..	..	..	412	399
Other Foreign Countries ..	21	..	18	..	..	..	39	1,189
Total—								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	169,669	18,785	11,412	19,544	2,146	..	221,556	..
1932-33 ..	186,531	150,096	16,071	7,689	893	769	..	368,049

## VALUE (AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY).

	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A	£A
United Kingdom	292,013	30,981	12,450	50,005	4,023	..	389,481	575,396
Canada ..	..	..	7	..	..	..	7	171
Ceylon ..	1,783	591	27	..	..	..	2,401	1,456
Gibraltar ..	155	224	11	..	..	..	390	364
Hong Kong ..	1,200	55	..	..	..	..	1,255	1,498
India ..	70	30	..	..	..	..	100	16
Malaya (British)	1,607	114	1,084	..	..	..	2,805	4,707
Malta ..	1,399	868	20	..	..	..	2,287	3,253
Pacific Islands ..	1,159	199	29	..	..	..	1,387	958
Other British Countries ..	40	..	..	..	..	..	40	..
Belgium ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	947
Egypt ..	1,163	..	..	..	..	..	1,163	1,344
France ..	698	934	..	..	..	..	1,632	2,641
Japan ..	102	..	114	..	..	..	216	180
Pacific Islands ..	96	..	..	..	..	..	96	48
Panama ..	751	..	..	..	..	..	751	1,982
Philippine Islands	1,146	62	..	..	..	..	1,208	763
Other Foreign Countries ..	43	..	33	..	..	..	76	194
Total—								
Three months—								
1933-34 ..	303,425	34,058	13,784	50,005	4,023	..	405,295	..
1932-33 ..	264,799	294,505	19,464	12,983	1,674	1,893	..	595,318

## Section IV.—Finance.

## (A.) COMMONWEALTH FINANCE.

## COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

## RECEIPTS.(a)

Sources of Revenue.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34. Estimate.
<b>TAXATION—</b>	£	£	£	£	£
Customs .. .. .	30,157,040	18,224,227	18,565,630	21,313,793	} 32,200,000
Excise .. .. .	11,617,351	10,070,846	9,840,166	11,678,650	
Sales Tax .. .. .	.. .. .	3,472,854	8,425,067	9,369,276	7,800,000
Land Tax .. .. .	2,840,078	2,758,593	2,156,765	1,650,311	1,250,000
Probate and Succession Duties .. .. .	2,122,478	2,068,865	1,385,811	1,126,996	1,130,000
Income Tax .. .. .	11,120,029	13,604,374	13,481,982	10,878,718	9,300,000
Income Tax — Commonwealth	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Salaries .. .. .	.. .. .	34,475	4,304	.. .. .	.. .. .
Entertainment Tax .. .. .	316,121	186,661	133,072	134,042	50,000
War-time Profits Tax .. .. .	14,678	Dr. 794	Dr. 33,755	Dr. 5,750	.. .. .
Total Taxation .. .. .	58,187,775	50,420,106	53,959,042	56,146,036	51,730,000
<b>BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—</b>					
Post Office (b) .. .. .	13,551,087	12,839,104	12,363,151	12,593,592	12,720,000
<b>Railways—</b>					
Trans-Australian .. .. .	274,816	190,028	177,254	187,043	194,000
North Australian .. .. .	31,291	28,986	23,548	22,149	90,000
Central Australian .. .. .	104,724	86,360	85,456	86,938	22,000
Federal Capital Territory .. .. .	7,206	3,863	4,295	4,858	4,000
Total Railways .. .. .	418,037	309,237	290,553	300,988	310,000
Total Business Undertakings..	13,969,124	13,148,341	12,653,704	12,894,580	13,030,000
<b>OTHER REVENUE—</b>					
Interest .. .. .	3,456,613	3,055,630	2,601,494	2,468,504	(d)
Patents, Trade Marks, &c. .. .. .	58,300	54,429	48,798	45,018	(d)
Bankruptcy .. .. .	32,088	44,395	41,943	31,787	(d)
Coinage .. .. .	41,070	141,846	191,136	49,568	30,000
Defence .. .. .	103,351	79,005	50,510	47,753	34,000
Quarantine .. .. .	28,360	20,814	16,488	17,312	28,500
Marine .. .. .	201,211	196,501	201,218	205,133	199,000
Territories .. .. .	86,771	207,192	202,402	202,936	190,000
Net Profit, Note Issue .. .. .	703,669	449,506	1,305,955	1,108,519	650,000
Ex-enemy Properties .. .. .	.. .. .	1,500,000	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Export Charges .. .. .	74,084	80,785	64,092	Dr. 1,874	.. .. .
Other.. .. .	201,026	168,370	195,516	297,537	2,688,500
Total .. .. .	4,986,491	5,998,473	4,919,552	4,472,193	3,820,000
Grand Total .. .. .	77,143,390	69,566,920	71,532,298	73,512,809	68,580,000
<b>PER HEAD (c)—</b>	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Taxation .. .. .	9 1 6	7 15 10	8 5 5	8 10 8	7 16 2
Business Undertakings .. .. .	2 3 7	2 0 7	1 18 9	1 19 2	1 19 5
Other.. .. .	0 15 7	0 18 6	0 15 1	0 13 8	0 11 5
Total .. .. .	12 0 8	10 14 11	10 19 3	11 3 6	10 7 0

(a) Excludes balance of interest on States' debts (payable by States).

(b) Excludes receipts in respect of State officers' pensions.

(c) Based on mean population of each financial year.

(d) Included with "Other."

## Commonwealth Consolidated Revenue Fund—Disbursements.(b)

Departments, &c.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34. (Estimate.)
	£	£	£	£	£
Governor-General .. .. .	31,577	24,995	21,443	21,822	23,334
Parliament .. .. .	555,701	421,266	453,324	339,710	348,920
Prime Minister .. .. .	1,411,824	1,461,674	1,313,811	1,429,009	1,388,671
Treasury .. .. .	971,176	1,482,999	2,949,181	2,253,052	2,119,635
Attorney-General .. .. .	245,491	233,199	196,528	197,070	212,828
Interior .. .. .	1,109,271	1,102,388	1,010,065	983,947	975,766
Defence—Military .. .. .	1,819,967	1,697,717	1,520,004	1,456,441	1,728,323
Navy .. .. .	2,170,127	1,834,773	1,507,222	1,586,185	1,712,790
Air .. .. .	555,132	547,172	482,737	475,132	517,630
Trade and Customs .. .. .	1,263,313	1,156,604	984,516	911,946	853,308
Health .. .. .	275,233	221,297	174,811	171,189	184,183
Commerce .. .. .	646,307	600,414	681,972	763,058	879,592
Postmaster-General .. .. .	13,025,358	12,994,870	11,753,788	11,703,098	11,911,190
Railways .. .. .	1,109,405	1,056,806	1,040,210	1,016,748	1,069,750
Territories—					
Federal Capital Territory .. .. .	315,290	604,697	612,365	590,827	532,234
Northern Territory .. .. .	138,925	149,152	161,271	145,013	159,294
Papua .. .. .	49,853	52,969	47,857	52,136	71,572
New Guinea .. .. .	12,911	8,054	2,947	2,740	3,090
Norfolk Island .. .. .	4,000	4,000	3,500	3,500	3,000
Total, Territories .. .. .	520,979	818,872	827,940	794,216	769,190
All other expenditure—					
New Works .. .. .	245,536	74,445	832,622	874,390	1,624,880
War and Repatriation—					
Interest, Sinking Fund and Exchange ..	20,213,586	19,812,326	12,435,113	11,358,343	11,243,000
War Pensions .. .. .	7,897,291	7,987,038	7,449,180	6,954,028	7,065,000
Repatriation .. .. .	1,044,000	1,055,795	907,848	655,935	675,378
Other .. .. .	579,459	285,669	171,272	153,661	171,122
Total War, &c. .. .. .	29,734,336	29,140,828	20,963,413	19,121,967	19,154,500
Payments to or for States—					
Interest on States Debts .. .. .	7,584,912	7,584,912	7,584,912	7,584,912	7,584,912
Sinking Fund on States Debts .. .. .	994,432	1,057,703	1,153,591	1,188,522	1,267,088
Special Grants .. .. .	910,000	1,720,000	1,550,000	1,830,000	2,130,000
Grants for Federal Aid Roads .. .. .	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,812,139	1,922,048	2,000,000
For Unemployment Relief .. .. .	..	750,000	..	..	..
Relief to Primary Producers .. .. .	..	..	..	2,249,692	..
Total to or for States .. .. .	11,489,344	13,112,615	12,100,642	14,775,174	12,982,000
Invalid and Old-age Pensions .. .. .	10,791,325	11,710,953	11,125,956	10,771,061	11,000,000
Maternity Allowances .. .. .	642,990	630,652	378,022	320,986	300,000
Balance of Receipts over Ordinary Ex- penditure (a) .. .. .	..	..	1,314,091	8,546,608	..
Grand Total .. .. .	78,614,392	80,324,539	71,532,298	73,512,809	69,756,490
Per head of population (c) ..	£12 5 3	£12 8 2	£10 19 3	£11 3 6	£10 10 7

(a) Appropriated for payment of Invalid and Old-age Pensions in following year.

(b) Excludes balance of interest payable on States Debt (recoverable from States).

(c) Based on mean population for each financial year.



## Commonwealth Expenditure from General Loan Fund.

Particulars.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.	Total to 30th June, 1933.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
<b>Works—</b>						
Immigration (a) .. ..	132,815	57,705	..	..	..	1,680,835
Shipbuilding Yards and Docks ..	..	..	..	..	..	733,711
Ship Construction .. ..	Cr. 86,784	Cr. 165,000	Cr. 165,000	..	Cr. 821,910	7,572,150
Subs. to Capital of Common- wealth Oil Refinery .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	343,751
F.C.T. Works, Services, and Acquisition of Land .. ..	555,000	248,654	263,077	..	(b) 100,000	7,450,494
Parliament House, Canberra ..	638,500	5,334	..	..	..	643,834
Drill Halls, Stores, Barracks, &c. .. ..	33,014	20,204	458	..	..	427,084
Rifles and Ammunition Re- serve .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	315,300
Other Military Services .. ..	231	1,000	..	..	..	101,959
Naval Bases, Depots, &c. .. ..	38,907	93,230	6,229	..	..	1,496,558
Fleet Construction .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	855,397
Other Naval Services .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	71,300
<b>Air Services—</b>						
R.A.A.F. .. ..	40,530	32,740	8,766	..	..	473,010
Civil Aviation .. ..	..	..	13,596	..	..	53,773
Buildings and Works, Muni- tions Production .. ..	92,513	83,127	38,467	..	..	1,185,852
Other Munitions Supply Ser- vices .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,150
Lighthouses and Lighthouse Services .. ..	17,673	18,520	89,500	..	..	643,900
River Murray Waters Act .. ..	250,000	200,000	122,000	..	..	2,105,825
Telegraph and Telephone Con- struction .. ..	2,775,991	2,537,489	1,248,197	..	..	30,024,968
Post Office Buildings and Land .. ..	227,397	224,186	38,190	..	..	3,398,382
Wireless .. ..	482	10,037	1,727	..	..	356,608
Serum and Health Labora- tories .. ..	10,082	3,748	..	..	..	75,220
Wire and Wire Netting .. ..	230,838	50,000	..	..	..	610,838
<b>Railways—</b>						
Trans-Australian .. ..	48,415	64,622	30,387	..	..	6,662,298
North Australian .. ..	79,092	20,097	910	..	..	1,597,559
Central Australian .. ..	747,894	170,911	30,185	..	..	2,477,853
Federal Capital Territory .. ..	3,291	365	175	..	..	28,755
Grafton-South Brisbane .. ..	675,000	586,000	68,000	..	Cr. 5,000	4,366,000
Other Expenditure .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	200,000
War Service Homes .. ..	1,673,451	999,964	154,906	..	..	7,314,524
London Offices .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	880,190
Acquisition of Properties not elsewhere included .. ..	987	769	10,653	..	..	134,544
North Australia Commission ..	40,800	23,000	16,103	..	..	111,203
Miscellaneous .. ..	20,000	7,500	14,500	..	..	432,371
<b>Total .. ..</b>	<b>8,244,119</b>	<b>5,294,202</b>	<b>1,991,026</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>Cr. 726,910</b>	<b>84,296,994</b>
<b>Other purposes—</b>						
Wheat Bounty .. ..	..	..	..	3,296,464	132,807	3,429,272
Unemployment Relief .. ..	..	..	..	153,873	1,155,698	1,309,571
<b>Total .. ..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,450,337</b>	<b>1,288,505</b>	<b>4,738,843</b>
<b>Grand Total .. ..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,450,337</b>	<b>561,595</b>	<b>89,035,837</b>

(a) Exclusive of Loans to States for Immigration purposes.

(b) Special loan to Federal Capital Commission in 1929-30 by Commonwealth Bank for housing, not previously recorded as expenditure for the Commonwealth.

**COMMONWEALTH AND STATES PUBLIC DEBT, AND INTEREST PAYABLE  
AT 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

Debt on Account of—	Australia.	London.	New York.	Total.
Commonwealth—	£ (Aust.)	£ (Stg.)	£ (Gold.)	£ (c)
War .. .. .	192,005,180	90,744,331	..	282,749,561
Works and other Purposes	25,332,057	67,897,843	16,889,983	110,119,883
Total—Commonwealth Pur- poses .. .. .	217,337,237	158,642,224	16,889,983	392,869,444
Per head of population ..	£32 14 4	£23 17 8	£2 10 10	£59 2 10
States—				
Debts of the States (a) ..	391,418,492	392,156,891	20,580,787	813,156,170
Per head of population (b) ..	£59 0 11	£59 3 2	£4 9 3	£122 13 4
Total Public Debt ..	608,755,729	550,799,115	46,470,770	1,206,025,614
Per head of population ..	£91 12 9	£82 18 3	£6 19 11	£181 10 11

**INTEREST PAYABLE.**

Commonwealth—	£ (Aust.)	£ (Stg.)	£ (Gold.)	£ (d)
War .. .. .	7,683,202	4,345,782	..	12,028,984
Works and other Purposes	803,342	3,042,351	823,249	4,668,942
Total—Commonwealth Pur- poses .. .. .	8,486,544	7,388,133	823,249	16,697,926
Average Rate % ..	£3 18 1	£4 12 2	£4 17 6	£4 5 0
States—				
Debts of the States (a) ..	14,565,728	16,798,636	1,509,006	32,873,370
Average Rate % ..	£3 14 5	£4 5 8	£5 2 0	£4 0 10
Grand Total .. .. .	23,052,272	24,186,769	2,332,255	49,571,296
Average Rate % ..	£3 15 9	£4 7 10	£5 0 4	£4 2 2

(a) Includes contributions payable by Commonwealth and British Governments towards interest on Migration Loans.

(b) Based on estimated aggregate population of the six States according to preliminary results of the Census of 30th June, 1933.

(c) The total "face" or "book" values of the Public Debt of the Commonwealth and States leaving out of account currency changes since the loans were floated.

(d) Nominal amount (and average rate) of interest payable—takes no account of exchange.

### AVERAGE VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN NOTES HELD BY THE BANKS AND BY THE PUBLIC.

Particulars.	Held by Banks.	Held by Public.	Total Note Issue.	Reserve.	
				Amount.	Percentage on total circulation.
	£	£	£	£'000.	%
1929 (a) .. .. .	18,199,104	25,162,705	43,361,809	22,014	50.8
1930 (a) .. .. .	21,322,892	23,446,192	44,769,084	18,144	40.5
1931 (a) .. .. .	24,939,874	25,221,885	50,161,759	13,144	26.2
1932 (a) .. .. .	24,916,825	25,740,767	50,657,592	10,450	20.6
1933 (b)—January .. ..	23,053,133	25,000,293	48,053,426	(c) 11,499	23.9
February .. .. .	22,911,116	24,642,310	47,553,426	(c) 11,499	24.2
March .. .. .	22,798,342	24,755,084	47,553,426	(c) 11,507	24.2
April .. .. .	23,586,590	24,966,836	48,553,426	(c) 11,507	23.7
May .. .. .	23,185,072	24,368,354	47,553,426	(c) 11,507	24.2
June .. .. .	23,346,413	24,207,013	47,553,426	(c) 11,507	24.2
July .. .. .	22,823,033	24,227,925	47,050,958	(c) 11,507	24.5
August .. .. .	22,643,844	24,407,114	47,050,958	(c) 11,507	24.5
September .. .. .	22,168,712	24,882,246	47,050,958	(c) 11,507	24.5

(a) Average of twelve monthly statements.  
English sterling.

(b) On last Monday in each month.

(c) Includes

### COMMONWEALTH NOTES OUTSTANDING AT UNDERMENTIONED DATES.

Denomination.		30th Sept., 1929.	29th Sept., 1930.	28th Sept., 1931.	26th Sept., 1932.	25th Sept., 1933.
		£	£	£	£	£
10s. .. .. .		3,131,886	2,899,476	2,949,614	3,049,936	3,233,430
£1 .. .. .		16,376,730	14,732,915	15,228,597	14,780,055	14,848,498
£5 .. .. .		11,060,220	9,678,475	10,976,025	10,105,985	9,660,580
£10 .. .. .		3,654,020	3,408,900	5,860,360	4,966,070	4,802,960
£20 .. .. .		376,120	336,160	569,680	438,680	364,940
£50 .. .. .		1,021,950	959,700	2,088,250	1,581,700	1,493,250
£100 .. .. .		1,623,300	1,553,800	3,458,900	2,848,000	2,400,300
£1,000 .. .. .		4,614,000	10,859,000	10,922,000	11,283,000	10,247,000
Total {	Held by banks	16,861,674	21,778,518	25,896,236	24,202,937	22,168,712
	Held by public	24,996,552	22,649,908	26,157,190	24,850,489	24,882,246
	Total .. .. .	41,858,226	44,428,426	52,053,426	49,053,426	47,050,958
Reserve {	Gold .. .. .	23,441,497	20,176,899	10,500,439	8,499,341	11,506,949
	English Sterling .. ..	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2,000,000	
	Total .. .. .	23,441,497	20,176,899	10,500,439	10,499,341	11,506,949
	Percentage on circulation	56.00	45.41	20.17	21.40	24.46

### OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS AT 30th JUNE, 1933.

State.	Number of Pensioners at 30.6.33.			Number per 10,000 of Population.		Average Fortnightly Pension at 30.6.33. (a)		Pensions paid during year. (b)	
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total Old-age and Invalid.	Old-age.	Inva- lid.	Old-age.	Inva- lid.	Amount.	Per head of Popn.
New South Wales ..	68,807	30,729	99,536	264	118	s. d. 31 4	s. d. 32 11	£ 4,242,582	s. d. 32 6
Victoria .. .. .	49,449	20,191	69,640	272	111	31 8	32 5	3,059,773	33 7
Queensland .. .. .	22,600	10,261	32,861	238	108	31 8	32 11	1,429,982	30 2
South Australia ..	16,442	5,019	21,461	295	86	30 11	32 10	913,451	31 2
Western Australia ..	11,097	3,827	14,924	253	87	31 9	32 6	661,279	30 2
Tasmania .. .. .	8,030	2,715	10,745	353	119	31 1	32 5	463,994	40 9
Total .. .. .	176,425	72,742	249,167	266	110	31 6	32 9	10,771,061	32 6

(a) From July, 1931, the maximum fortnightly rate was £1 15s.  
Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals for maintenance of pensioners.

(b) Includes amounts paid to

## OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS, SUMMARY.

Year ended 30th June—	Number of Pensioners.			Number of Pensioners in each 10,000 of Population. (a)		Pensions Payments during Year. (c)	Average Fortnightly Pension.
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total.	Old-age.	Invalid.		
						£	s. d.
1910 ..	65,492	(b)	65,492	150	(b)	1,433,585	19 1
1911 ..	75,502	7,451	82,953	168	17	1,847,440	19 1
1912 ..	79,071	10,763	89,834	170	23	2,149,659	19 0
1913 ..	82,943	13,739	96,682	172	29	2,301,675	19 6
1914 ..	87,780	16,865	104,645	177	34	2,592,201	19 5
1915 ..	90,892	20,417	111,309	182	41	2,718,939	19 5
1916 ..	91,783	23,439	115,222	186	47	2,891,597	19 4
1917 ..	93,672	26,781	120,453	190	54	3,554,135	24 3
1918 ..	95,387	29,912	125,299	190	59	3,793,037	24 3
1919 ..	95,969	31,999	127,968	185	62	3,936,626	24 2
1920 ..	99,170	35,231	134,401	185	66	4,484,304	29 1
1921 ..	102,415	37,981	140,396	188	70	5,150,241	28 9
1922 ..	105,096	39,019	144,115	189	70	5,380,034	28 9
1923 ..	107,389	40,064	147,453	189	71	5,424,016	28 9
1924 ..	113,054	42,617	155,671	195	73	6,523,881	33 9
1925 ..	117,516	44,840	162,356	198	76	6,992,905	33 8
1926 ..	126,918	48,803	175,721	210	81	8,252,387	38 7
1927 ..	133,234	52,399	185,633	216	85	9,144,589	38 6
1928 ..	139,367	55,517	194,884	222	88	9,790,346	38 5
1929 ..	145,393	59,148	204,541	228	93	10,124,239	38 5
1930 ..	155,196	63,304	218,500	241	98	10,791,325	38 5
1931 ..	172,177	68,343	240,520	265	105	11,710,953	38 4
1932 ..	183,817	72,292	255,609	280	110	11,125,956	33 3
1933 ..	176,425	72,742	249,167	266	110	10,771,061	31 10

(a) At 30th June. (b) Invalid pension payments commenced 15th December, 1910. (c) Includes payments to Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals for maintenance of pensioners from 1917 inclusive.

## WAR PENSIONS AT 30th JUNE, 1933.

Place of Payment.	NUMBER OF PENSIONERS.				AVERAGE FORTNIGHTLY RATE OF PENSIONS.		
	Incapacitated Soldiers.	Dependants of Deceased Soldiers.	Dependants of Incapacitated Soldiers.	Total.	Incapacitated Soldiers.	Dependants of Deceased and Incapacitated Soldiers.	All Pensioners.
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	25,140	9,319	52,435	86,894	2 0 5	0 13 0	1 0 11
Victoria ..	25,573	9,011	56,782	91,366	1 13 5	0 11 3	0 17 5
Queensland ..	8,214	2,779	17,583	28,576	2 1 4	0 12 2	1 0 6
South Australia ..	4,086	2,417	9,014	15,517	1 18 9	0 14 3	1 0 8
Western Australia	7,180	2,334	15,961	25,475	1 15 7	0 11 8	0 18 5
Tasmania ..	3,085	1,256	8,185	12,526	2 3 5	0 11 9	0 19 6
London ..	1,676	2,989	3,878	8,543	2 6 3	1 1 2	1 6 1
South Africa ..	47	27	76	150	1 17 7	0 17 1	1 3 6
New Zealand ..	224	161	325	710	1 14 11	0 18 10	1 3 11
Elsewhere ..	19	5	29	53	1 13 5	0 14 3	1 1 1
Total ..	75,244	30,298	164,268	269,810	1 17 10	0 12 6	0 19 7



## AUSTRALIAN WAR PENSIONS EXPENDITURE.

Place of Payment.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	2,701,384	2,736,473	2,736,872	2,552,380	2,382,007
Victoria ..	2,245,457	2,315,583	2,367,707	2,253,005	2,086,389
Queensland ..	839,007	860,607	877,044	817,780	755,447
South Australia ..	493,403	499,375	496,704	453,728	421,491
Western Australia ..	787,346	793,079	787,319	698,356	629,357
Tasmania ..	326,257	347,272	356,801	339,738	320,586
Elsewhere ..	342,067	367,087	373,733	325,201	330,553
Total ..	7,734,921	7,919,476	7,996,180	7,440,188	6,925,830

## COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES.

## Number of Claims Passed for Payment.

(The Maternity Allowance Act came into force on 10th October, 1912.)

Year ended 30th June—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W.A.	Tasmania.	N.T.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1928 ..	55,072	35,656	19,790	11,716	8,598	4,898	54	135,784
1929 ..	54,275	34,132	19,040	11,148	8,888	4,777	44	132,304
1930 ..	52,335	33,381	18,490	10,361	9,030	4,959	42	128,598
1931 ..	51,660	32,241	18,790	9,720	8,909	4,778	51	126,140
1932 ..	36,569	23,988	13,240	7,637	6,773	4,169	34	92,410
1933 ..	31,699	20,100	11,680	7,048	5,879	3,880	25	80,311
Total since 10.10.12..	1,056,083	693,844	389,782	230,443	168,025	109,192	827	2,648,196

## COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX, 1931-32.(a)

Grade of Taxable Income.	Number of Taxpayers.	Tax Assessed.	Amount per Taxpayer.	Percentage on Total Tax Assessed.
Individuals—		£	£ s. d.	%
Under £201 ..	199,381	540,579	2 14 3	4.3
£201 to £500 ..	62,235	980,773	15 15 2	7.7
£501 to £1,000 ..	28,041	1,478,339	52 14 5	11.6
£1,001 and over ..	16,271	5,513,654	338 17 3	43.4
Total ..	305,928	8,513,345	27 16 7	67.0
Companies ..	5,815	4,189,174	720 8 2	33.0
TOTAL, ALL INCOMES ..	311,743	12,702,519	40 14 11	100.0

(a) Assessed on income for year 1930-31.

## COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX ASSESSMENTS.

Heading.	Assessment year—				
	1924-25.	1925-26.	1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>NUMBER OF TAXPAYERS—</b>					
Resident Owners .. ..	18,324	19,355	21,203	23,748	24,943
Absentee Owners .. ..	3,195	3,111	3,126	2,986	3,051
<b>TOTAL .. ..</b>	<b>21,519</b>	<b>22,466</b>	<b>24,419</b>	<b>26,734</b>	<b>27,994</b>
<b>UNIMPROVED VALUE OF LAND AS RETURNED BY OWNERS—</b>					
Resident .. ..	£ 207,328,796	£ 218,225,341	£ 232,431,232	£ 257,352,465	£ 272,154,600
Absentee .. ..	2,554,456	2,425,132	2,856,869	2,456,978	2,133,427
<b>TOTAL .. ..</b>	<b>209,883,252</b>	<b>220,750,473</b>	<b>235,288,101</b>	<b>259,809,443</b>	<b>274,288,027</b>
<b>UNIMPROVED VALUE AS ASCERTAINED BY DEPARTMENT—</b>					
Resident .. ..	238,007,004	240,713,004	266,462,999	303,832,082	315,043,225
Absentee .. ..	2,978,754	2,632,589	3,204,459	2,815,560	2,488,383
<b>TOTAL .. ..</b>	<b>240,985,758</b>	<b>243,345,593</b>	<b>269,667,458</b>	<b>306,647,642</b>	<b>317,531,608</b>
<b>TAX ASSESSED ON—</b>					
Urban Land—Resident Owners ..	1,256,299	1,490,911	1,567,125	1,929,027	1,901,343
Absentee Owners ..	22,819	18,792	24,836	21,540	19,623
<b>TOTAL .. ..</b>	<b>1,279,118</b>	<b>1,509,703</b>	<b>1,591,961</b>	<b>1,950,567</b>	<b>1,920,966</b>
Rural Land—Resident Owners ..	978,581	976,567	973,092	913,262	940,335
Absentee Owners ..	10,945	8,402	12,126	7,045	5,522
<b>TOTAL .. ..</b>	<b>989,526</b>	<b>984,969</b>	<b>985,218</b>	<b>920,307</b>	<b>945,857</b>
All Land—Resident Owners ..	2,234,880	2,467,478	2,540,217	2,842,289	2,841,678
Absentee Owners ..	33,764	27,194	36,962	28,585	25,145
<b>TOTAL .. ..</b>	<b>2,268,644</b>	<b>2,494,672</b>	<b>2,577,179</b>	<b>2,870,874</b>	<b>2,866,823</b>
<b>AREA OF RURAL LAND ASSESSED acs.</b>	<b>661,951,199</b>	<b>661,600,671</b>	<b>660,817,268</b>	<b>663,505,376</b>	<b>664,364,806</b>
<b>ASSESSED TAX ON RURAL LAND per ac.</b>	<b>3.8334d.</b>	<b>3.8375d.</b>	<b>3.8879d.</b>	<b>3.4780d.</b>	<b>3.5269d.</b>

(a) Exclusive of Crown Leaseholds.

## COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX.

STATEMENT OF TAX ASSESSED AND RECEIVED TO 30TH JUNE, 1933.

Year ended 30th June—	Tax Assessed.	Fine Accrued.	Tax Paid.	Fine Paid.	Tax and Fine Outstanding.
	£	£	£	£	£
1929 ..	2,850,890	16,838	2,786,504	11,136	70,088
1930 ..	2,944,102	9,869	2,821,509	7,797	124,665
1931 ..	3,050,587	9,901	2,712,888	6,208	341,392
1932 ..	2,483,556	4,866	2,127,406	2,726	358,290
1933 ..	1,510,933	3,043	1,141,790	830	371,356
<b>Total 1910-11 to 1932-33 ..</b>	<b>51,368,229</b>	<b>114,890</b>	<b>49,934,058</b>	<b>96,516</b>	<b>1,452,545</b>

**COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX.—Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods and Sales Tax payable in each month.—Australia.**

Month.	1931-32.			1932-33.(b)		
	Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods.(a)	Net Taxable Sales.(a)	Sales Tax Payable (6 per cent.).	Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods.(a)	Net Taxable Sales.(a)	Sales Tax Payable (6 per cent.).
July .. .. .	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
August .. .. .	27,273	12,851	531	24,445	11,102	661
September .. .. .	25,646	10,939	659	28,458	12,571	752
September .. .. .	27,946	12,067	713	30,309	13,906	831
Total, September Quarter	80,865	35,857	1,903	83,212	37,579	2,244
October .. .. .	31,260	12,882	753	29,733	13,317	797
November .. .. .	30,470	12,929	798	30,568	13,328	802
December .. .. .	30,498	14,188	830	31,275	13,286	797
Total, December Quarter	92,228	39,999	2,381	91,576	39,931	2,396
January .. .. .	26,213	10,790	641	24,358	9,795	584
February .. .. .	28,547	12,513	745	26,018	11,432	682
March .. .. .	29,184	13,449	805	26,187	12,109	726
Total, March Quarter ..	83,944	36,752	2,191	76,563	33,336	1,992
April .. .. .	30,216	13,728	818	25,246	11,790	707
May .. .. .	27,799	13,091	783	27,519	12,862	772
June .. .. .	27,012	12,159	718	27,407	11,540	692
Total, June Quarter ..	85,027	38,978	2,319	80,172	36,192	2,171
Total for Year ..	342,064	151,586	8,794	331,523	147,038	8,803

(a) Includes imports taxable at Customs House.

(b) Preliminary figures from July, 1932.

**COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX.—Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods and Sales Tax payable.**

Commodity Group.	1931-32 (12 months), July to June.			1932-33 (12 months), July to June.(b)		
	Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods.(a)	Net Taxable Sales.(a)	Sales Tax Payable (6 per cent.).	Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods.(a)	Net Taxable Sales.(a)	Sales Tax Payable (6 per cent.).
1. Ales, Spirits, and Beverages	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
2. Tobacco and preparations thereof .. .. .	15,948	5,800	334	12,663	5,191	311
3. Sugar .. .. .	17,231	207	13	18,094	53	3
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries .. .. .	18,135	62	4	16,550	18	1
5. Textiles and Attire .. .. .	116,281	33,624	1,956	102,282	28,594	1,714
6. Metals and Machinery .. .. .	43,223	37,353	2,198	44,288	38,359	2,299
7. Oils, Paints and Varnishes .. .. .	30,394	21,747	1,236	34,204	20,266	1,213
8. Earthenware, &c. .. .. .	22,229	4,597	261	21,768	4,325	258
9. Drugs and Chemicals .. .. .	5,402	4,048	233	5,705	4,426	265
10. Wood, Wicker and Cane .. .. .	9,746	5,086	300	9,497	4,859	294
11. Jewellery and Fancy Goods .. .. .	10,618	7,371	421	11,026	7,619	457
12. Leather and Rubber .. .. .	5,179	3,451	201	5,867	4,018	240
13. Paper and Stationery .. .. .	14,163	11,363	663	14,141	10,852	647
14. Vehicles .. .. .	11,238	7,999	463	10,599	7,063	425
15. Musical Instruments .. .. .	4,928	4,432	256	8,301	7,319	436
16. Miscellaneous .. .. .	262	242	14	250	206	10
17. Unallotted .. .. .	7,233	3,908	224	9,384	3,797	226
17. Unallotted .. .. .	9,854	296	17	6,904	73	4
Total .. .. .	342,064	151,586	8,794	331,523	147,038	8,803
States—						
New South Wales .. .. .	124,385	58,439	3,378	121,601	57,191	3,426
Victoria .. .. .	109,205	48,414	2,851	105,187	48,191	2,885
Queensland .. .. .	53,466	20,561	1,173	49,981	18,380	1,099
South Australia .. .. .	25,903	11,520	669	26,233	11,152	670
Western Australia .. .. .	21,192	9,509	542	20,294	9,051	540
Tasmania .. .. .	7,850	3,123	180	8,179	3,057	182
Northern Territory .. .. .	63	20	1	48	16	1
Total .. .. .	342,064	151,586	8,794	331,523	147,038	8,803

(a) Includes imports taxable at Customs House.

(b) Preliminary figures.

## (B.) STATE FINANCE.

## CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND OF STATES.

## REVENUE, 1931-32.

Sources of Revenue.	New South Wales. (b)	Victoria. (b)	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation (d) ..	8,125,523	7,709,694	3,100,104	3,076,374	1,006,916	905,715	23,924,326
Railways and Tram-ways ..	18,306,244	9,256,358	5,936,500	2,759,693	3,183,977	380,117	39,822,889
Land ..	1,714,960	256,725	1,167,513	159,991	292,622	49,140	3,640,951
Commonwealth Payments ..	2,917,411	2,127,159	1,096,235	1,703,816	773,432	516,859	9,134,912
All other Sources ..	7,570,994	5,205,336	1,693,761	2,782,102	2,778,369	533,664	20,564,226
Total Revenue ..	38,635,132	24,555,272	12,994,113	10,481,976	8,035,316	2,385,495	97,087,304
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total Revenue per head (a) ..	15 6 9	13 12 7	13 9 6	17 18 6	19 1 3	10 15 11	14 18 2

Year ended 30th June—

## REVENUE, 1928 TO 1932.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1928 ..	47,997,372	27,357,917	16,718,070	11,346,903	9,807,949	2,962,687	116,190,898
1929 ..	50,447,100	28,156,034	16,725,682	10,840,914	9,947,951	2,766,434	118,884,115
1930 ..	46,904,889	27,323,842	15,997,870	10,551,016	9,750,515	2,956,272	113,484,404
1931 ..	40,920,872	25,575,504	15,072,652	10,725,811	8,686,756	2,609,290	103,590,885
1932 ..	38,635,132	24,555,272	12,994,113	10,481,976	8,035,316	2,385,495	97,087,304

## EXPENDITURE, 1931-32.

Heads of Expenditure.	New South Wales. (b) (c)	Victoria. (b)	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ..	17,371,919	8,154,782	5,389,973	4,807,630	3,522,287	1,142,710	40,389,301
Exchange ..	3,022,211	1,003,250	1,047,718	647,784	620,058	141,294	6,482,315
Railways and Tram-ways (exclusive of Construction) ..	15,579,401	5,982,224	4,372,800	2,064,144	2,335,166	393,673	30,727,408
All other Expenditure ..	15,757,158	11,023,338	4,258,802	4,025,778	3,115,701	979,432	39,160,209
Total Expenditure ..	51,730,689	26,163,594	15,069,293	11,545,336	9,593,212	2,657,109	116,759,233
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total Expenditure per head (a) ..	20 10 9	14 10 5	15 12 6	19 14 10	22 15 2	12 0 6	17 18 7

Year ended 30th June—

## EXPENDITURE, 1928 TO 1932.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1928 ..	48,857,763	27,521,270	16,707,564	11,621,834	9,834,415	2,867,605	117,410,451
1929 ..	50,470,660	28,104,947	16,902,145	11,771,772	10,223,919	2,855,977	120,329,420
1930 ..	52,167,117	28,496,712	16,721,055	12,176,840	10,268,519	2,981,992	122,812,235
1931 ..	48,916,654	28,029,702	15,914,696	12,539,668	10,107,295	2,854,394	118,362,409
1932 ..	51,780,689	26,163,594	15,069,293	11,545,336	9,593,212	2,657,109	116,759,233

(a) Based on mean population for the fiscal year.

(b) Including certain revenue and expenditure not brought into the Consolidated Revenue Fund such as Railways; Tramways; Sydney Harbour Trust; Metropolitan Board of Water Supply, &amp;c.; Hunter District Water Board; and Motor Taxation in New South Wales and Victoria.

(c) Excludes contribution of £800,000 from Consolidated Revenue on account of losses on Country Developmental Railways.

(d) For total taxation collections, see page 56.

(e) The actual deficit as disclosed by the Treasurer was £14,227,844, which takes into account the revenue and expenditure of Unemployment Relief and Family Endowment Funds not included herein.



## NET STATE LOAN EXPENDITURE DURING THE YEAR 1931-32.

Heads of Expenditure.	N.S.W.	Victoria. (b)	Queens- land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tas- mania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways	1,050,669	..	50,275	Cr. 166,069	137,025	Cr. 15,008	1,056,892
Water Supply, &c. ..	897,642	343,464	Cr. 8,502	296,770	500,151	..	2,270,364
Harbours, Rivers, &c. ..	56,744	1,068	Cr. 1,084	97,611	77,490	9,010	..
Roads and Bridges	1,277,072	68,917	90,642	Cr. 36,471	..	..	1,400,160
Land Purchased for Settlement, and Advances ..	Cr. 225	8,412	Cr. 17,728	158,231	398,795	15,570	563,055
Public Buildings	92,262	Cr. 18,593	34,896	16,218	..	980	125,713
All other ..	12,979	598,956	Cr. 354,850	Cr. 79,462	154,404	15,752	347,779
Total ..	3,387,143	1,002,224	Cr. 206,351	286,828	1,267,865	26,254	5,763,963
Net Loan Expenditure per head (a) ..	£ s. d. 1 6 11	£ s. d. 0 11 2	£ s. d. 0 4 3	£ s. d. 0 9 10	£ s. d. 3 0 2	£ s. d. 0 2 4	£ s. d. 0 17 8
Revenue Deficit ..	..	..	..	Cr. 3,000	..	..	Cr. 3,000
Grand Total ..	3,387,143	1,002,224	Cr. 206,351	283,828	1,267,865	26,254	5,760,963

(a) Based on mean population of financial year. (b) Expenditure from Loan and on account of Loan; includes expenditure from Public Account Advances Account, from Treasurer's Advance Account, and from State Loans Repayment Fund. (c) Excludes £70,200 cost of Premiums, &c., in connexion with the 1931 Conversion Loan. (d) Credits allowed for amounting to £263,799, arising from cancellation of Securities redeemed from Sinking Fund.

## TOTAL STATE LOAN EXPENDITURE TO 30th JUNE, 1932.

Heads of Expenditure.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£ (1,000)	£ (1,000)	£ (1,000)	£ (1,000)	£ (1,000)	£ (1,000)	£ (1,000)
Railways and Tramways ..	150,696	73,929	61,681	35,519	24,951	6,918	353,694
Water Supply, &c. ..	51,868	27,965	7,214	23,262	10,981	..	..
Harbours, Rivers, &c. ..	22,478	1,332	2,416	7,707	5,874	6,780	202,421
Roads and Bridges	16,210	11,728	2,380	3,150	1,976	..	..
Land Purchased for Settlement, and Advances ..	10,643	41,813	(c) 6,879	12,990	(c) 24,691	3,396	100,412
Public Buildings ..	12,259	6,220	3,396	3,095	1,566	1,799	28,335
All other ..	14,718	22,334	20,808	12,105	11,674	7,333	89,472
Total ..	278,872	(a) 185,821	(b) 104,774	(a) 97,828	80,813	(b) 26,226	774,334

(a) Excludes Revenue Deficits.  
(c) Includes Agricultural Bank.

(b) Excludes Revenue Deficits and Deficits on Loans.

## STATES PUBLIC DEBT AND INTEREST PAYABLE AT 30th JUNE, 1933.

States.	Public Debt.				Interest Payable.			
	Aus- tralia.	London.	New York.	Total.	In Aus- tralia.	In London.	In New York.	Total.
	£ '000 Aust. Stg.	£ '000 Stg.	£ '000 Gold.	£ '000 (a).	£ '000 Aust.	£ '000 Stg.	£ '000 Gold.	£ '000 (b).
New South Wales ..	138,234	162,363	13,471	314,068	5,076	7,108	654	12,838
Victoria ..	101,178	63,445	4,615	169,238	3,894	2,824	227	6,945
Queensland ..	43,851	63,271	7,409	114,531	1,621	2,942	424	4,987
South Australia ..	57,363	43,760	1,779	102,902	2,206	1,888	89	4,183
Western Australia ..	35,745	45,698	2,072	83,515	1,323	1,991	103	3,417
Tasmania ..	9,743	13,620	235	23,598	381	526	12	919
Total ..	386,114	392,157	29,581	807,852	14,501	17,279	1,509	33,289

(a) The total "face" or "book" value of the States Public Debt leaving out of account currency changes since the loans were floated.

(b) Nominal amount of interest payable, takes no account of exchange.

## (C.) COMMONWEALTH AND STATE FINANCE.

(PREPARED FROM INFORMATION PUBLISHED IN THE MONTHLY STATEMENTS ISSUED BY EACH TREASURY.)

## REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

State, &c.	Quarter ended 30th September—					
	1933.			1932.		
	Revenue.	Expen- diture.	Surplus (+) or Deficit (-)	Revenue.	Expen- diture.	Surplus (+) or Deficit (-)
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales (a) .. ..	10,571	12,069	-1,498	11,929	13,529	-1,600
Victoria .. ..	4,101	5,116	-1,015	4,170	5,188	-1,018
Queensland .. ..	2,864	3,498	- 634	2,719	3,578	- 859
South Australia .. ..	2,008	2,704	- 696	1,758	2,770	-1,012
Western Australia .. ..	1,765	2,270	- 505	1,553	2,249	- 696
Tasmania .. ..	469	715	- 246	474	462	+ 12
Total, Six States .. ..	21,778	26,372	-4,594	22,603	27,776	-5,173
Commonwealth .. ..	18,616	15,778	+2,838	18,299	15,680	+2,619
Grand Total (b) .. ..	38,040	39,796	-1,756	38,944	41,498	-2,554

(a) Excludes Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage. (b) To avoid duplication in aggregating particulars for the Commonwealth and States, the grand totals are exclusive of payments by Commonwealth to the States on account of interest on States' debts and disabilities grants and payments by the States to the Commonwealth in respect of interest on Soldier Land Settlement loans.

## TAXATION REVENUE AND ADMINISTRATIVE, ETC., EXPENDITURE.

State, &c.	Revenue from Taxation.		Expenditure—Adminis- trative and Social Services, including Unemployment Relief.	
	Quarter ended 30th September—			
	1933.	1932.	1933.	1932.
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .. ..	2,527	4,259	3,821	4,962
Victoria .. ..	1,236	1,285	1,808	1,965
Queensland.. ..	443	392	1,038	1,095
South Australia .. ..	(c) 448	(c) 388	737	787
Western Australia .. ..	209	(b) 190	590	600
Tasmania .. ..	(c) 147	(c) 168	220	201
Total, Six States .. ..	5,010	6,682	8,214	9,610
Commonwealth .. ..	14,685	14,331	(a) 5,801	(a) 6,068
Grand Total .. ..	19,695	21,013	14,015	15,678

(a) Excludes Territories and payments to States under Financial Agreement and other Acts. (b) No special Unemployment Relief Tax imposed. (c) Unemployment Relief covered by increased Income Tax rates.

## BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.(a)

State, &c.	Revenue.		Expenditure.	
	Quarter ended 30th September—			
	1933.	1932.	1933.	1932.
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales (b) .. ..	5,449	5,514	3,827	4,259
Victoria (c) .. ..	2,070	2,082	1,604	1,455
Queensland (d) .. ..	1,547	1,546	1,028	999
South Australia .. ..	862	862	582	558
Western Australia .. ..	955	905	659	640
Tasmania(d) .. ..	78	84	92	99
Total, Six States .. ..	10,961	10,993	7,792	8,010
Commonwealth .. ..	3,247	3,136	2,041	2,080
Grand Total .. ..	14,208	14,129	9,833	10,090

(a) Excludes Interest, &c., charges. (b) Includes Main Roads Section, Transport Commission. (c) Railways and State Coal Mine. (d) Railways only.

COMMONWEALTH AND STATE FINANCE.  
**TAXATION.—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE.**

Year ended 30th June—	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.			Taxation by State Governments.	Total Taxation.
	Customs and Excise.	Other.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£
1929 .. ..	41,058,571	15,244,918	56,303,489	32,525,832	88,829,321
1930 .. ..	41,774,391	16,413,384	58,187,775	33,823,803	92,011,578
1931 .. ..	28,295,073	a 22,125,033	50,420,106	35,759,813	86,179,919
1932 .. ..	28,405,796	a 25,553,246	53,959,042	32,748,228	86,707,270
1933 .. ..	32,992,434	a 23,153,592	56,146,026	37,325,609	93,471,635

(a) Includes Sales Tax, £3,472,854 in 1930-31; £8,425,067 in 1931-32; and £9,360,275 in 1932-33.

**TAXATION.—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE PER HEAD.**

Year ended 30th June—	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.			Taxation by State Governments. (b)	Total Taxation. (a)
	Customs and Excise (a).	Other (a).	Total.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1929 .. ..	6 9 8	2 8 2	8 17 10	5 2 11	14 0 5
1930 .. ..	6 10 4	2 11 2	9 1 6	5 5 9	14 6 11
1931 .. ..	4 7 5	(c) 3 8 5	7 15 10	5 10 8	13 6 3
1932 .. ..	4 7 1	(c) 3 18 4	8 5 5	5 0 7	13 5 9
1933 .. ..	5 0 4	(c) 3 10 5	8 10 9	5 13 9	14 4 3

(a) Based on mean population of Commonwealth for each financial year. (b) Based on aggregate population of the six States, mean for each financial year. (c) Inclusive of Sales Tax, 10s. 9d. per head in 1930-31; £1 5s. 10d. in 1931-32; and £1 8s. 6d. in 1932-33.

**COMMONWEALTH AND STATES PUBLIC DEBT.—(i) TOTAL DEBT.**

NOTE.—In the following statements of Public Debt and Interest payable, the units of currency are—  
For debt maturing in and interest payable in Australia—£1 Australian.  
For debt maturing in and interest payable in London—£1 Sterling.  
For debt maturing in and interest payable in New York—£1 Gold.

Particulars.	Where Redeemable.	At 30th June—				
		1929.(a)	1930.(a)	1931.(a)	1932.(a)	1933.
PUBLIC DEBT.						
Commonwealth— War Debt ..	Australia	£ (b) 201,604,887	£ (b) 197,673,573	£ (b) 194,633,628	£ (b) 195,315,356	£ (b) 192,389,981
	London	93,810,641	92,314,742	90,744,381	90,744,380	90,744,381
	New York	..	..	..	..	..
Works, &c. ..	Australia	23,828,177	14,979,706	27,088,176	27,677,447	28,884,315
	London	48,819,932	58,431,406	66,694,425	68,031,550	67,897,843
	New York	17,155,718	17,155,718	17,155,718	17,115,997	16,889,983
Total ..	Australia	225,433,064	212,653,279	221,721,804	222,992,803	221,274,296
	London	142,630,573	150,746,148	157,438,806	158,775,930	158,642,224
	New York	17,155,718	17,155,718	17,155,718	17,115,997	16,889,983
Total (c) ..	..	385,219,355	380,555,145	396,316,328	398,884,730	396,806,503
States ..	Australia	306,312,095	314,315,385	335,178,302	363,227,126	386,113,942
	London	381,718,085	375,039,685	394,105,816	395,752,485	392,156,891
	New York	30,778,527	30,686,983	30,435,672	29,963,527	29,580,787
Total (c) ..	..	718,808,707	720,042,053	759,719,790	788,943,138	807,851,620
Grand Total ..	Australia	531,745,159	526,968,664	556,900,106	586,219,929	607,388,238
	London	524,348,658	525,785,833	551,544,622	554,528,415	550,799,115
	New York	47,934,245	47,842,701	47,591,390	47,079,524	46,470,770
Total (c) ..	..	1,104,028,062	1,100,597,198	1,156,036,118	1,187,827,868	1,204,658,123

(a) See note (a) on next page. (b) See note at head of this table. (c) Total "face" or "book" value of the Public Debt, leaving out of account currency changes since the loans were floated.

## (ii)—DEBT PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

Particulars.	Where Redeemable.	At 30th June—				
		1929.(a)	1930.(a)	1931.(a)	1932.(a)	1933.

PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

Commonwealth— War Debt ..	Australia	£ s. d.(b) 31 12 8	£ s. d.(b) 30 14 0	£ s. d.(b) 29 18 10	£ s. d.(b) 29 16 6	£ s. d.(b) 29 0 4
	London	14 14 5	14 6 9	13 19 2	13 17 1	13 13 8
	New York	..	..	..	..	..
Works, &c. ..	Australia	3 14 10	2 6 6	4 3 4	4 4 6	4 7 1
	London	7 13 2	9 1 6	10 5 3	10 7 10	10 4 11
	New York	2 13 10	2 13 3	2 12 9	2 12 3	2 10 11
Total ..	Australia	35 7 6	33 0 6	34 2 2	34 1 0	33 7 5
	London	22 7 7	23 8 3	24 4 5	24 4 11	23 8 6
	New York	2 13 10	2 13 3	2 12 9	2 12 3	2 10 11
Total (c) ..	..	60 8 11	59 2 0	60 19 4	60 18 2	59 6 10
States ..	Australia	48 3 2	48 18 4	51 13 4	55 11 5	58 7 1
	London	60 0 3	58 7 5	60 15 0	60 10 11	59 5 0
	New York	4 16 9	4 15 6	4 13 10	4 11 8	4 9 5
Total (c) ..	..	113 0 2	112 1 3	117 2 2	120 14 0	122 1 10
Grand Total ..	Australia	83 8 8	81 16 10	85 13 5	89 10 3	91 12 1
	London	82 5 6	81 13 2	84 16 11	84 13 5	83 1 5
	New York	7 10 5	7 8 7	7 6 5	7 3 9	7 0 2
Total (c) ..	..	173 4 7	170 18 7	177 16 9	181 7 5	181 13 8

(a) The figures have been adjusted on account of remissions by the Commonwealth of States' debt maturing in Australia amounting to £7,597,783 in respect of losses by the States on Soldier Land Settlement, and consequently differ from those published in some previous issues. (b) See note at head of preceding table. (c) Based on total "face" or "book" value of Public Debts leaving out of account currency changes since the loans were floated.

## (iii)—INTEREST PAYABLE.

Particulars.	Where Payable.	At 30th June—				
		1929.(a)	1930.(a)	1931.(a)	1932.(a)	1933.

INTEREST PAYABLE.

Commonwealth— War Debt ..	Australia	£ (b) 10,928,403	£ (b) 10,709,304	£ (b) 10,865,537	£ (b) 7,828,852	£ (b) 7,694,479
	London	4,721,540	4,647,992	d 4,570,782	d 4,570,782	d 4,570,782
	New York	..	..	..	..	..
Works, &c. ..	Australia	1,098,733	664,756	1,324,706	980,353	902,778
	London	2,460,837	2,943,397	3,216,561	3,287,368	3,154,851
	New York	836,109	836,109	836,109	834,133	823,249
Total ..	Australia	12,027,136	11,374,060	12,190,243	8,809,205	8,597,257
	London	7,182,377	7,591,389	7,787,343	7,858,150	7,725,633
	New York	836,109	836,109	836,109	834,133	823,249
Total (c) ..	..	20,045,622	19,801,558	20,813,695	17,501,488	17,146,139
States ..	Australia	15,941,357	16,395,263	17,551,862	14,271,278	14,500,728
	London	17,933,140	17,594,511	18,244,281	18,442,628	17,279,585
	New York	1,579,367	1,574,789	1,559,597	1,531,720	1,509,006
Total (c) ..	..	35,453,864	35,564,563	37,355,740	34,245,626	33,289,319
Grand Total ..	Australia	27,968,493	27,769,323	29,742,105	23,080,483	23,097,985
	London	25,115,517	25,185,900	26,031,624	26,300,778	25,005,218
	New York	2,415,476	2,410,898	2,395,706	2,365,853	2,332,255
Total (c) ..	..	55,499,486	55,366,121	58,169,435	51,747,114	50,435,458

(a) See note (a) to above table. (b) See note at head of last table on page 56. (c) The totals shown represent the nominal amount of interest, taking no account of exchange. (d) Interest payments for 1931-32 and for 1932-33 were suspended under Hoover Moratorium by arrangement with the British Government. No provision has been made on the Estimates for payment in 1933-34.



## (iv)—AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST.

Particulars.	Where Payable.	At 30th June—				
		1929.(a)	1930.(a)	1931.(a)	1932.(a)	1933.
AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST.						
Commonwealth— War Debt ..	Australia	£ s. d.(b) 5 8 5	£ s. d.(b) 5 8 4	£ s. d.(b) 5 11 8	£ s. d.(b) 4 0 2	£ s. d.(b) 4 0 0
	London	5 0 8	5 0 8	5 0 9	5 0 9(d)	5 0 9 (d)
	New York	..	..	..	..	..
Works, &c. ..	Australia	4 12 3	4 8 11	4 17 10	3 10 10	3 2 6
	London	5 0 10	5 0 9	4 16 5	4 16 8	4 12 11
	New York	4 17 6	4 17 6	4 17 6	4 17 6	4 17 6
Total ..	Australia	5 6 8	5 7 0	5 10 0	3 19 0	3 17 8
	London	5 0 9	5 0 9	4 18 11	4 18 11	4 17 5
	New York	4 17 6	4 17 6	4 17 6	4 17 6	4 17 6
Total (c) ..	..	5 4 1	5 4 1	5 5 0	4 7 9	4 6 5
States ..	Australia	5 4 1	5 4 4	5 4 9	3 18 7	3 15 1
	London	4 14 0	4 13 10	4 12 7	4 13 3	4 8 1
	New York	5 2 8	5 2 8	5 2 6	5 2 3	5 2 0
Total (c) ..	..	4 18 8	4 18 9	4 18 4	4 6 10	4 2 5
Grand Total ..	Australia	5 5 2	5 5 5	5 6 10	3 18 9	3 16 1
	London	4 15 10	4 15 10	4 14 5	4 14 11	4 10 10
	New York	5 0 9	5 0 9	5 0 8	5 0 6	5 0 4
Total (c) ..	..	5 0 6	5 0 7	5 0 8	4 7 1	4 3 9

(a) See note (a) on page 57. (b) See note at head of last table on page 56. (c) Based on the nominal amount of interest payable, taking no account of exchange. (d) See note (d) to previous table.

## (v)—SHORT TERM DEBT.(a)

Debt.	Maturing in—	At—							
		30th June, 1930.	30th June, 1931.	30th June, 1932.	30th Sept., 1932.	31st Dec., 1932.	31st March, 1933.	30th June, 1933.	30th Sept., 1933.
Commonwealth	Australia	£'000.(b)	£'000.(b)	£'000.(b)	£'000.(b)	£'000.(b)	£'000.(b)	£'000.(b)	£'000.(b)
	London	175	5,066	6,330	3,940	2,080	2,815	3,500	..
	New York	..	8,808	10,220	10,220	10,220	10,220	10,220	10,220
States ..	Australia	2,300	15,554	38,660	47,285	48,765	49,030	45,375	50,700
	London	4,825	24,267	27,105	24,155	24,155	21,946	23,905	23,905
Total ..	Australia	2,300	20,620	44,990	51,225	50,845	51,845	48,875	50,700
	London	5,000	33,075	37,325	34,375	34,375	32,166	34,125	34,125

(a) Exclusive of Overdrafts. At 30th June, 1930, approximately £29,000,000 of London unfunded debt was on account of overdrafts. This was covered by Treasury Bills and Debentures, and at 30th June, 1931, London overdrafts amounted to £5,000,000. (b) See note at head of last table on page 56.

## (D.) BANKING.

## CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS.

## AVERAGE LIABILITIES IN AUSTRALIA.(a)

Quarter ended.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities.
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.(a)	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
30.6.29 ..	199,846	3,912,580	11,854,721	127,694,774	202,472,486	330,167,260	846,134,407
30.6.30 ..	199,337	3,103,000	19,876,790	103,968,080	206,596,266	310,564,326	333,743,483
30.6.31 b	193,478	2,596,503	33,962,097	91,046,791	210,641,067	301,687,858	338,444,936
30.6.32 b	197,121	2,581,456	30,517,792	96,437,001	222,804,332	319,241,333	352,537,702
30.6.33 b	180,937	3,577,297	25,259,075	95,800,228	223,975,862	319,776,090	348,793,399
30.9.32 b	196,076	3,223,211	23,136,894	88,610,830	218,278,561	306,889,391	333,445,572
30.9.33 b	174,915	2,600,685	24,054,646	92,513,996	220,127,269	312,641,265	339,471,511

(a) Includes statistics for the Commonwealth Bank (General Bank but not Savings Bank).  
 (b) Government "Set off" accounts, Interstate (Commonwealth Bank) deducted.

## CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS—AVERAGE ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA. (a)

Quarter ended—	Coin and Bullion.	Australian Notes and Cash with Commonwealth Bank.	Government and Municipal Securities.	Land and Other Property.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Discounts, Overdrafts and all other assets.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
30.6.29 ..	26,502,264	27,324,787	38,087,650	7,877,881	5,199,714	2,133,439	282,552,905	389,683,300
30.6.30 ..	6,131,312	39,205,756	43,749,423	8,479,818	6,844,362	1,873,238	299,394,981	405,679,440
30.6.31 b	2,600,455	55,395,457	62,651,713	9,030,286	5,237,403	1,872,995	276,534,784	412,873,093
30.6.32 b	2,882,026	53,961,904	80,898,798	9,170,593	6,177,065	1,302,181	260,917,515	415,310,082
30.6.33 b	2,806,787	45,138,758	100,456,007	9,063,508	4,864,224	1,427,573	259,913,138	423,669,995
30.9.32 ..	2,876,477	45,644,192	98,973,973	9,078,417	5,313,327	1,296,224	257,588,817	410,771,427
30.9.33 ..	2,722,980	43,792,446	98,389,834	9,101,526	4,054,311	1,444,775	262,347,343	421,853,215

(a) Includes statistics for the Commonwealth Bank (General Bank but not Savings Bank)

(b) Government "Set-off" accounts, Interstate (Commonwealth Bank) deducted.

## SAVINGS BANKS. (a)

Date.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Fed. Cap.	N. Terr.	Total.
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## AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT.

	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
30.6.29	81,623	68,827	23,325	24,942	10,645	5,523	234	64	215,188
30.6.30	85,728	72,707	24,076	25,228	11,609	5,812	279	47	225,486
30.6.31	82,465	69,367	23,901	24,012	11,729	5,699	288	49	217,510
30.6.31	69,811	63,243	22,354	21,422	10,867	5,366	269	43	193,375
30.9.31	71,448	62,602	22,412	20,957	10,366	5,472	280	44	193,581
31.12.31	72,358	62,863	22,645	20,837	10,118	5,370	283	41	194,515
31.3.32	70,675	63,766	22,397	20,899	10,061	5,410	278	40	193,526
30.6.32	71,648	65,680	22,952	21,567	10,218	5,586	275	40	197,966
30.9.32	70,874	66,041	23,135	21,785	9,965	5,716	244	42	197,802
31.12.32	70,286	66,062	23,148	21,842	9,832	5,677	223	42	197,117
31.3.33	71,254	66,257	22,934	21,857	9,871	5,793	221	38	198,225
30.6.33	72,308	67,814	23,453	22,515	10,064	5,865	225	38	202,282
31.7.33	72,309	67,761	23,558	22,586	9,985	5,876	223	39	202,337
31.8.33	72,309	67,852	23,701	22,624	9,952	5,957	223	39	202,657
30.9.33	72,358	67,839	23,604	22,668	9,961	5,949	222	40	202,641

## AVERAGE PER HEAD OF POPULATION. (b)

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
30.6.28	..	83	13	9	39	6	10	25	11	8	43	3	5	26	12	8	26	4	10	29	6	1	15	4	4	34	4	10			
30.6.30	..	84	16	3	41	2	8	25	19	5	43	10	10	28	3	11	27	6	11	33	10	8	11	4	10	35	7	7			
30.6.30	..	83	3	8	38	18	0	25	7	4	41	7	2	28	0	4	26	8	10	32	10	9	10	5	0	33	15	7			
30.6.31	..	27	16	11	35	3	8	23	5	11	36	14	2	25	16	9	24	9	9	31	16	6	8	10	11	29	14	11			
30.9.31 (d)	..	28	8	8	34	15	10	23	5	9	35	17	8	24	12	0	24	18	5	32	18	4	9	11	11	29	14	6			
31.12.31 (e)	..	28	14	9	34	18	0	23	10	0	35	12	5	24	0	0	24	0	9	32	8	9	9	5	4	29	16	1			
31.3.32 (f)	..	27	19	6	35	6	9	23	3	9	35	13	11	23	17	4	24	8	4	30	1	10	8	14	7	29	11	11			
30.6.32	..	28	6	10	36	7	8	23	11	9	36	16	0	24	8	8	25	5	4	32	15	6	8	19	6	30	4	7			
30.9.32 (c)	..	27	19	4	36	10	6	23	14	5	37	2	11	23	10	10	25	16	11	23	15	8	9	6	11	30	2	11			
31.12.32 (g)	..	27	13	4	36	9	9	23	14	6	37	3	8	23	4	9	25	4	4	27	5	0	9	12	4	29	19	7			
31.3.33 (h)	..	28	0	0	36	9	3	23	8	7	37	2	7	23	5	5	25	18	9	25	9	2	8	13	8	30	1	8			
30.6.33 (i)	..	27	16	0	37	5	1	24	14	11	38	15	1	22	18	7	25	15	4	25	3	1	7	18	0	30	10	2			
31.7.33 (i)	..	27	16	0	37	4	6	24	17	1	38	17	6	22	15	0	25	16	4	24	19	8	8	0	8	30	10	4			
31.8.33 (i)	..	27	16	0	37	5	6	25	0	2	38	18	10	22	13	5	26	3	5	24	18	5	8	0	11	30	11	3			
30.9.33 (i)	..	27	16	4	37	5	4	24	18	1	39	0	4	22	13	10	26	2	9	24	15	6	8	4	7	30	11	3			

(a) Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank.

(b) Averages at end of financial years are based on population at 30th June in the respective years.

(c) Based on population at 30th September, 1931.

(d) Based on population at 31st March, 1932.

(e) Based on population at 31st March, 1933.

(f) Based on population at 31st March, 1933.

(g) Based on population at 31st March, 1933.

(h) Based on population at 31st March, 1933.

(i) Based on population at 31st March, 1933.

(b) Averages at end of financial years are based on

(c) Based on population at 30th September, 1932.

(d) Based on population at 31st December, 1931.

(e) Based on population at 31st December, 1932.

(f) Based on population at 31st December, 1932.

(g) Based on population at 31st December, 1932.

(h) Based on population at 31st December, 1932.

(i) Based on population at Census of 30th June,

## COMMONWEALTH SAVINGS BANK.

Amount on deposit at—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	F.C.T.	N.T.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
30.6.31 ..	14,492,937	6,104,264	22,354,325	1,951,151	2,788,373	1,519,418	219,935	43,258	49,473,661
30.9.31 ..	16,468,118	6,365,058	22,412,225	2,031,423	2,989,659	1,529,244	230,815	43,808	52,070,350
31.12.31 ..	17,358,482	6,653,064	22,645,103	2,049,837	3,017,870	1,511,381	233,233	41,323	52,070,350
31.3.32 ..	70,675,522	6,876,404	22,396,528	2,074,209	10,060,916	1,512,556	277,815	39,728	115,660,293
30.6.32 ..	71,647,869	7,098,817	22,951,758	2,127,288	10,217,739	1,581,718	274,836	40,440	115,940,465
30.9.32 ..	70,874,066	7,239,384	23,134,935	2,151,496	9,984,874	1,585,869	244,064	42,293	115,236,981
31.12.32 ..	70,285,913	7,249,291	23,148,172	2,137,178	9,832,324	1,573,005	227,957	41,921	114,495,761
31.3.33 ..	71,253,432	7,342,602	22,934,160	2,147,025	9,871,081	1,593,297	220,938	38,141	115,400,626
30.6.33 ..	72,307,685	7,587,472	23,453,017	2,204,022	10,064,464	1,645,053	225,054	38,411	117,525,178
31.7.33 ..	72,308,525	7,626,323	23,557,665	2,225,785	9,985,314	1,650,311	223,518	39,070	117,616,511
31.8.33 ..	72,309,250	7,670,712	23,701,054	2,234,975	9,951,827	1,651,097	222,960	39,128	117,781,003
30.9.33 ..	72,357,678	7,722,149	23,604,139	2,240,308	9,961,345	1,650,818	221,668	40,026	117,798,131

(a) State Savings Bank amalgamated with Commonwealth Savings Bank during month.

## BANK CLEARING HOUSES.—AVERAGE WEEKLY VALUE OF BILLS, CHEQUES, ETC. CLEARED.

Weekly average.	Sydney.		Melbourne.		Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
	Averages of—		Averages of—					
	Total Clearings.	Clearings less Treasury Bills transactions. (a)	Total Clearings.	Clearings less Treasury Bills transactions. (a)				
	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.	£000.
Year 1928 .. .. .	19,812	..	14,623	..	3,768	3,147	2,157	543
" 1929—								
To 7th October .. ..	..	..	15,824	..	..	..	..	..
8th Oct. to 31st Dec. ..	..	..	14,935	14,724	..	..	..	..
Year .. .. .	20,000	..	15,617	15,568	3,762	3,044	2,197	524
" 1930—								
To 13th October .. ..	16,545	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14th Oct. to 31st Dec. ..	19,198	17,365	..	..	..	..	..	..
Year .. .. .	17,121	16,723	13,915	13,373	3,220	2,409	1,707	443
" 1931 .. .. .	16,000	13,096	12,515	10,866	2,776	1,857	1,368	346
" 1932 .. .. .	13,999	11,249	12,538	11,319	2,704	2,042	1,446	368
" 1933—								
1st to 30th January ..	15,450	11,148	11,254	10,171	2,245	1,813	1,605	445
31st Jan. to 27th Feb. ..	17,034	12,034	13,808	12,724	2,861	2,307	1,759	370
28th Feb. to 27th Mar. ..	16,366	11,382	12,296	11,037	2,588	2,437	1,653	406
28th Mar. to 24th Apr. ..	15,804	11,206	12,764	11,558	2,594	2,141	1,410	479
25th Apr. to 29th May ..	18,389	12,556	12,625	11,273	2,595	2,365	1,405	455
30th May to 26th June ..	17,194	11,721	12,516	11,565	2,973	2,110	1,235	393
27th June to 31st July ..	16,346	12,191	14,079	13,017	2,995	2,059	1,391	389
1st Aug. to 28th Aug. ..	14,786	10,615	10,830	9,682	2,574	1,741	1,276	309
29th Aug. to 25th Sept. ..	17,791	12,243	11,699	10,807	3,075	2,023	1,477	300

(a) Average weekly clearings exclusive of transactions connected with the issue and redemption of Treasury Bills. These abnormal transactions have been in operation in Victoria since October, 1929, and in New South Wales since October, 1930.

## Section V.—Railways, Aircraft, and Motor Vehicles.

## A. Railways.

## RAILWAYS (GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE) OPEN FOR TRAFFIC.

NOTE.—The mileage of private lines is shown in brackets and refers to lines available for general traffic only.

Heading.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33. (a)
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
Government—					
Federal ..	1,970	2,145	2,145	2,145	2,145
New South Wales ..	5,940 (142)	5,974 (116)	6,044 (116)	6,126 (83)	6,164 (83)
Victoria ..	4,699 (25)	4,713 (25)	4,717 (25)	4,721 (25)	4,721 (25)
Queensland ..	6,447 (274)	6,447 (279)	6,529 (266)	6,558 (263)	6,566 (263)
South Australia ..	2,542 (34)	2,536 (34)	2,529 (34)	2,529 (51)	2,529 (51)
Western Australia ..	4,079 (277)	4,111 (277)	4,180 (277)	4,235 (277)	4,338 (277)
Tasmania ..	653 (173)	679 (141)	665 (141)	645 (141)	645 (141)
Total ..	26,330 (925)	26,605 (872)	26,809 (859)	26,959 (840)	27,108 (840)

(a) The mileage of private lines is for the year 1931-32.

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

## CAPITAL COST OF CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT.

State.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
Federal (c) (e) ..	12,438,895	14,134,213	15,370,369	15,436,199	15,489,464
New South Wales (e) ..	116,221,374	122,566,422	124,555,236	130,802,362	137,792,319
Victoria (a) (e) ..	72,282,201	73,061,522	74,193,518	74,302,935	74,415,458
Queensland ..	56,231,445	58,251,561	58,727,528	59,497,495	(f) 33,884,190
South Australia (b) ..	26,021,454	26,835,717	27,272,316	27,255,643	27,202,936
Western Australia ..	21,403,256	22,427,112	22,846,871	23,329,093	23,648,654
Tasmania ..	6,483,281	6,494,003	6,534,186	6,549,965	6,561,429
Total ..	311,131,906	323,770,550	329,500,024	d341,544,692	d323,365,450

(a) Exclusive of 11.67 miles from Mount Gambier to Victorian border.

(b) Exclusive of 12.53 miles from Murrayville to South Australian border.

(c) Excludes cost of rolling-stock, Federal Capital Territory line.

(d) Inclusive of Grafton-South Brisbane line £4,371,000.

(e) Exclusive of Stores Advance Account.

(f) The Capital Account was reduced by £28,000,000 in accordance with "The Railway Reduction Act of 1931."

## AVERAGE MILES WORKED.

Government.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Federal .. ..	1,733	1,888	2,124	2,145	2,145
New South Wales .. ..	5,826	5,903	5,959	6,013	6,050
Victoria .. ..	4,661	4,698	4,708	4,710	4,720
Queensland .. ..	6,340	6,387	6,447	6,509	6,550
South Australia .. ..	2,528	2,545	2,538	2,535	2,529
Western Australia .. ..	3,971	3,993	4,110	4,123	4,214
Tasmania .. ..	658	654	660	665	645
Total .. ..	25,717	26,068	26,546	26,700	26,853

## TRAFFIC TRAIN MILES RUN (a)—'000 OMITTED.

Federal .. ..	966	1,005	746	651	517
New South Wales .. ..	26,896	27,382	26,714	25,628	25,849
Victoria .. ..	17,695	17,979	17,671	15,945	15,364
Queensland .. ..	11,655	11,893	11,859	10,883	10,965
South Australia .. ..	6,503	5,765	5,551	4,992	4,914
Western Australia .. ..	5,730	5,830	5,730	5,403	5,093
Tasmania .. ..	1,417	1,406	1,504	1,251	1,130
Total .. ..	70,862	71,260	69,775	64,753	63,832

(a) Exclusive of "Assistant" and "Light" mileages.

## GROSS EARNINGS—£'000 OMITTED.

Federal .. ..	600	569	404	309	280
New South Wales .. ..	19,029	20,416	18,627	16,006	15,801
Victoria .. ..	12,821	13,163	12,002	10,008	9,454
Queensland .. ..	7,382	7,569	7,302	6,477	5,995
South Australia .. ..	3,941	3,593	3,277	2,586	2,746
Western Australia .. ..	3,858	3,800	3,659	3,199	2,923
Tasmania .. ..	555	504	507	400	381
Total .. ..	48,186	49,614	45,778	38,985	37,580



## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—continued.

Government.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
WORKING EXPENSES—£'000 OMITTED.					
Federal .. .. .	537	564	554	459	358
New South Wales .. .. .	14,756	14,978	14,963	12,900	12,533
Victoria .. .. .	9,813	9,533	9,312	7,500	6,182
Queensland .. .. .	6,106	6,203	5,946	5,075	4,429
South Australia .. .. .	3,661	3,622	3,573	2,734	2,130
Western Australia .. .. .	2,911	3,056	3,113	2,611	2,123
Tasmania .. .. .	574	564	535	449	387
Total .. .. .	38,358	38,520	37,996	31,728	28,142

## NET EARNINGS—£'000 OMITTED.

Federal .. .. .	63	5	-150	-150	-78
New South Wales .. .. .	4,273	5,438	3,664	3,106	3,268
Victoria .. .. .	3,008	3,630	2,690	2,508	3,272
Queensland .. .. .	1,275	1,366	1,356	1,402	1,566
South Australia .. .. .	281	-29	-296	-148	616
Western Australia .. .. .	947	744	546	588	800
Tasmania .. .. .	-19	-60	-28	-49	-6
Total .. .. .	9,828	11,094	7,782	7,257	9,438

Minus sign (-) denotes loss.

## PERCENTAGE OF NET EARNINGS ON CAPITAL COST.

Federal .. .. .	%	%	%	%	%
New South Wales .. .. .	0.50	0.04	-0.98	-0.97	-0.50
Victoria .. .. .	3.68	4.44	2.94	2.40	2.37
Queensland .. .. .	4.16	4.97	3.63	3.38	4.40
South Australia .. .. .	2.27	2.34	2.31	2.38	(b) 4.62
Western Australia .. .. .	1.08	-0.11	-1.09	-0.54	2.26
Tasmania .. .. .	4.43	3.32	2.39	2.52	3.37
Total .. .. .	-0.29	-0.92	-0.43	-0.74	-0.09
Total .. .. .	3.16	3.43	2.36	(a) 2.12	(a) 2.92

Minus sign (-) denotes loss.

(a) Includes Grafton-South Brisbane line.

(b) See note (f) on previous page.

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

## PARTICULARS FOR YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1932.

Particulars.	Federal.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
Miles open .. .. .	2,145	6,126	4,721	6,558	2,529	4,235	645	26,959
Revenue—								
a Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, &c.) £	110	5,606	3,946	1,762	631	650	133	12,838
a Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals £	114	7,853	4,806	4,009	1,948	2,106	235	21,071
a Miscellaneous £	56	2,341	703	223	167	166	14	3,670
a Total Revenue £	280	15,800	9,455	5,994	2,746	2,922	382	37,579
Expenditure .. .. .	358	12,533	6,181	4,429	2,130	2,123	387	28,141
Train miles run .. .. .	517	25,849	15,364	10,965	4,914	5,093	1,130	63,832
Earnings per train mile .. .. .	10s. 10d.	12s. 3d.	12s. 4d.	10s. 11d.	11s. 2d.	11s. 6d.	6s. 9d.	11s. 9d.
Expenditure per train mile .. .. .	13s. 10d.	9s. 8d.	8s. 1d.	8s. 1d.	8s. 8d.	8s. 4d.	6s. 10d.	8s. 10d.
Earnings .. .. .	127.74	79.32	65.38	73.89	77.57	72.65	101.48	74.88
a Passenger Journeys, No.	74	128,359	125,991	20,762	15,608	10,394	1,681	302,869
a Coal and Coke carried, tons .. .. .	2	4,498	218	505	120	198	171	5,712
a Other Minerals carried, tons .. .. .	1	705	258	323	420	177	(b)	1,864
a Live stock carried, tons .. .. .	17	612	504	321	105	86	22	1,667
a Other Goods carried .. .. .	78	4,396	5,226	2,712	1,774	2,387	256	16,829
a Total Freight carried .. .. .	98	10,211	6,186	3,861	2,419	2,848	449	26,072

(a) ,000 omitted.

(b) Included with Coal and Coke.

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—continued.

PARTICULARS FOR YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1933.

Particulars.	Federal.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
Miles open .. ..	2,145	6,164	4,721	6,498	2,529	4,338	645	27,040
a Revenue—								
a Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, &c.) £	116	6,463	3,969	1,941	661	662	132	13,944
a Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals £	135	8,191	4,774	3,944	1,931	2,110	235	21,320
a Miscellaneous £	58	752	703	(b)	154	160	12	1,839
a Total Revenue £	309	15,406	9,446	5,885	2,746	2,932	379	37,103
a Expenditure £	348	12,022	6,066	4,244	1,986	2,112	387	27,195
a Train miles run ..	547	25,563	15,321	10,731	4,910	5,412	1,133	63,617
Earnings per train mile	11s. 3d.	12s. 1d.	12s. 4d.	11s. 0d.	11s. 2d.	10s. 10d.	6s. 8d.	11s. 8d.
Expenditure per train mile ..	12s. 9d.	9s. 5d.	8s. 0d.	7s. 11d.	8s. 1d.	7s. 10d.	6s. 10d.	8s. 7d.
Earnings per cent. on ..	112.76	78.03	64.54	72.10	72.36	72.02	102.08	73.30
a Passenger Journeys, No.	81	132,867	130,100	22,147	16,074	11,733	1,681	314,773
a Coal and Coke carried, tons	4	4,890	218	514	121	519	202	6,468
a Other Minerals carried, tons	..	849	(c)	350	588	326	(d)	2,113
a Live stock carried, tons	23	657	484	311	100	84	22	1,681
a Other Goods carried ..	79	4,752	5,542	2,445	1,592	2,331	255	16,996
a Total Freight carried ..	106	11,148	6,244	3,620	2,401	3,260	479	27,258

(a) ,000 omitted. (b) Included with Coaching and Goods. (c) Included with Other Goods.  
(d) Included with Coal and Coke.

The figures in the above table and the last table on the previous page are taken from the quarterly statements, and do not entirely agree with the particulars in the Annual Railways Reports of the several States.

## B.—Civil Aircraft.(c)

Particulars.	Year ended 30th June—				
	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933(b).
Registered Aircraft owners					
(a) .. .. No.	72	122	129	120	123
Registered Aircraft (a) .. No.	175	220	225	190	177
Licensed Pilots—(a)					
Private .. .. No.	209	344	407	363	370
Commercial .. .. No.	122	181	209	184	184
Licensed Ground Engineers (a) .. No.	198	257	293	289	272
Aerodromes—(a)					
Government .. .. No.	56	58	57	58	59
Public .. .. No.	19	39	66	94	114
Government Emergency Grounds .. No.	108	114	121	124	119
Flights carried out .. No.	92,000	123,916	113,340	96,192	85,346
Hours flown .. .. Hours	27,268	42,963	44,507	31,958	31,883
Approximate mileage .. Miles	1,992,070	3,234,307	3,596,930	2,527,700	2,587,389
Passengers carried—					
Paying .. .. No.	56,363	91,415	80,651	56,883	58,155
Non-paying .. .. No.	10,037	12,801	13,699	13,771	12,949
Total .. .. No.	66,400	104,216	94,350	70,654	71,104
Goods, Weight carried .. lb.	160,424	196,795	204,445	221,552	244,258
Mails, Letters carried .. No.	(d) 316,338	(d) 383,942	(e) 48,503	(e) 29,494	(e) 36,212
Accidents—					
Persons killed .. No.	7	18	29	7	5
Persons injured .. No.	10	20	20	17	6

(a) At 30th June. (b) Subject to revision. (c) Australia only: New Guinea figures not included. (d) By Subsidized Companies only. (e) Weight in lb., all contractors.

## C. Motor Vehicles.

State.	Registrations.			Drivers' and Riders' Licences Issued.	Revenue derived from—		
	Motor Cars, &c.	Motor Cycles.	Total.		Vehicle Registration and Motor Tax.	Drivers', Riders', etc., Licences.	Total.
1931-32.							
New South Wales .. ..	184,020	22,741	206,761	308,087	1,396,419	153,749	1,550,168
Victoria .. ..	145,384	22,568	167,952	226,712	1,041,344	56,691	1,098,035
Queensland .. ..	80,926	8,034	88,960	60,930	470,279	24,462	494,741
South Australia .. ..	49,932	7,860	57,792	81,300	459,395	40,309	499,704
Western Australia .. ..	40,702	6,700	47,402	56,171	259,705	19,111	278,816
Tasmania .. ..	13,549	3,661	17,210	19,426	83,834	9,713	93,547
North Australia .. ..	540	39	579	589	208	284	492
Central Australia .. ..							
Federal Capital Territory	1,171	93	1,264	1,624	6,523	856	7,379
Total .. ..	516,224	71,696	587,920	754,839	3,717,707	305,175	4,022,882

## 1932-33.

New South Wales (a) ..	199,116	23,354	222,470	309,704	1,402,476	154,965	1,557,441
Victoria ..	156,163	23,439	179,602	235,613	1,125,954	59,520	1,185,474
Queensland ..	81,492	7,725	89,217	46,222	474,397	19,106	493,503
South Australia ..	51,109	8,520	59,629	89,507	462,161	41,225	503,386
Western Australia ..	40,595	5,992	46,587	56,730	257,139	17,582	274,721
Tasmania ..	14,014	3,741	17,755	20,863	86,770	10,432	97,202
North Australia ..	575	39	614	485	113	223	336
Central Australia ..	62	4	66	87	52	36	88
Federal Capital Territory	1,210	82	1,292	1,762	6,408	820	7,228
Total ..	544,336	72,896	617,232	760,973	3,815,470	303,909	4,119,379

(a) Approximate figures only on account of Annual and Quarterly Registration Certificates.

## Section VI.—Labour and Industrial Statistics.

## TRADE UNIONS.

## Number of Trade Unions, Branch Unions and Membership.

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	Total.	Australia. (a) (b).
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## NUMBER OF SEPARATE UNIONS.

1928	..	(c)197	151	102	106	128	80	4	768	(a)370
1929	..	(c)195	151	106	105	129	81	4	771	(a)374
1930	..	(c)203	151	107	106	127	82	4	790	(a)382
1931	..	(c)202	150	107	110	129	78	4	780	(a)382
1932	..	(c)202	151	107	110	129	78	4	781	(a)361

## NUMBER OF BRANCHES.

1928	..	(c)596	415	311	104	190	74	..	1,690	(b)2,070
1929	..	(c)598	410	315	173	189	72	..	1,757	(b)2,154
1930	..	(c)598	410	319	173	190	71	..	1,761	(b)2,170
1931	..	(c)585	408	318	171	183	70	..	1,735	(b)2,153
1932	..	(c)583	406	319	171	185	71	..	1,735	(b)2,155

## NUMBER OF MEMBERS.

1928	..	c 357,890	242,190	154,799	75,725	61,498	18,465	1,474	911,541	911,541
1929	..	c 354,430	240,809	154,627	69,479	63,619	17,215	989	901,168	901,168
1930	..	c 343,134	229,322	141,925	63,318	60,243	16,381	984	855,757	855,757
1931	..	c 315,732	203,956	123,050	57,082	52,234	16,150	802	769,006	769,006
1932	..	c 314,050	196,989	110,055	54,109	50,160	14,699	769	740,831	740,831

(a) Allowing for Inter-State duplication. The figures represent the number of distinct organizations and Inter-State groups of organizations in Australia. They do not represent the total number of organizations which are practically independent and self-governing. (b) Includes not only branches of separate State unions and sub-branches in each State of Inter-State unions, but also head State branches of Inter-State unions. (c) Includes 13 unions in the Federal Capital Territory with a membership in 1932 of 890.

## Unemployment—Australia.—Number and Membership of Unions Reporting, and Number and Percentage Unemployed(a).

Particulars.					Unions.	Membership.	UNEMPLOYED.	
							Number.	Percentage.
1928	Year	..	..	..	375	423,422	45,669	10.8
1929	"	..	..	..	382	424,093	47,359	11.1
1930	"	..	..	..	395	438,874	84,767	19.3
1931	"	..	..	..	397	430,004	117,866	27.4
1932	"	..	..	..	395	415,434	120,454	29.0
1929, 3rd	Quarter (a)	..	..	..	388	433,388	52,480	12.1
4th	"	..	..	..	390	432,727	56,801	13.1
1930, 1st	"	..	..	..	392	432,464	63,144	14.6
2nd	"	..	..	..	394	435,239	80,595	18.5
3rd	"	..	..	..	396	439,971	90,379	20.5
4th	"	..	..	..	399	447,822	104,951	23.4
1931, 1st	"	..	..	..	397	440,234	113,614	25.8
2nd	"	..	..	..	397	429,687	118,424	27.6
3rd	"	..	..	..	396	426,603	120,694	28.3
4th	"	..	..	..	396	423,493	118,732	28.0
1932, 1st	"	..	..	..	395	425,094	120,366	28.3
2nd	"	..	..	..	396	413,742	124,068	30.0
3rd	"	..	..	..	395	412,997	122,340	29.6
4th	"	..	..	..	392	409,902	115,042	28.1
1933, 1st	"	..	..	..	394	412,674	109,182	26.5
2nd	"	..	..	..	394	415,559	106,652	25.7
3rd	"	..	..	..	394	416,426	104,560	25.1

(a) The quarterly figures show the number of persons who were out of work for three days or more during a specified week in each quarter; they do not include persons out of work through strikes or lockouts. The annual figures represent the average of the four quarters.



## Unemployment (a)—Percentages in Industrial Groups—Australia.

Industrial Group.	1929.	1932.				1933.		
	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	%	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.
<b>Manufacturing—</b>	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I. Wood, Furniture, &c. . .	6.5	39.6	39.4	38.4	36.2	35.3	34.8	
II. Engineering, Metal Works, &c. . .	11.2	33.9	32.9	31.6	30.2	30.0	28.6	
III. Food, Drink, Tobacco, &c. . .	5.4	19.4	20.7	18.4	16.6	16.7	18.1	
IV. Clothing, Hats, Boots, &c. . .	9.8	22.6	21.3	17.8	17.1	17.4	19.1	
V. Books, Printing, &c. . .	2.6	16.8	16.7	15.6	15.8	15.9	15.5	
VI. Other Manufacturing . .	13.8	43.0	41.3	39.8	37.8	35.9	32.9	
VII. Building . . .	10.6	42.1	41.6	40.2	38.7	36.6	35.1	
VIII. Mining, Quarrying, &c. . .	13.2	34.2	35.6	33.7	29.1	28.1	29.0	
X. Land Transport other than Railway and Tramway services . .	7.6	29.6	29.9	28.0	27.1	25.4	24.8	
IX., XI., XII., XIII., and XIV., Other and Miscellaneous (b)	7.3	22.2	22.0	21.1	19.9	19.2	18.8	
All Groups . . .	9.3	30.0	29.6	28.1	26.5	25.7	25.1	

(a) Not including persons out of work through strikes or lockouts. page 68.

(b) For classification see

## Unemployment (a)—Percentages in Industrial Groups—States.

3RD QUARTER, 1933.

Industrial Group.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Australia
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>Manufacturing—</b>							
I. Wood, Furniture, &c. . .	30.7	36.4	21.2	46.6	39.2	21.1	34.8
II. Engineering, Metal Works, &c. . .	29.8	29.4	16.0	37.0	28.5	16.6	28.6
III. Food, Drink, Tobacco, &c. . .	21.5	13.8	19.0	15.8	11.7	21.0	18.1
IV. Clothing, Hats, Boots, &c. . .	28.5	14.4	7.7	28.1	28.6	6.2	19.1
V. Books, Printing, &c. . .	21.3	10.8	6.9	19.0	21.1	10.6	15.5
VI. Other Manufacturing . .	44.0	22.4	8.7	25.3	21.6	29.0	32.9
VII. Building . . .	52.7	33.2	33.5	50.1	37.9	47.8	35.1
VIII. Mining, Quarrying, &c. . .	30.2	25.4	20.2	66.0	17.7	21.0	29.0
X. Land Transport, other than Railways and Tramways . .	31.6	20.5	9.6	41.1	32.3	32.6	24.8
IX., XI., XII., XIII., and XIV., Other and Miscellaneous (b)	23.4	17.6	10.1	12.3	15.7	14.5	18.8
All Groups . . .	28.8	22.5	15.1	30.3	25.6	19.2	25.1

(a) Not including persons out of work through strikes or lockouts. page 68.

(b) For classification see

## Percentage of Members of Trade Unions returned as Unemployed (a) in each State.

State.	1912, end of Year.	1931.	1932.				1933.		
		4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
New South Wales . .	5.0	31.5	31.8	33.2	33.0	31.9	30.2	29.6	28.8
Victoria . .	6.7	25.6	26.0	27.7	27.0	25.2	23.9	23.0	22.5
Queensland . .	4.6	17.5	18.2	19.9	19.3	17.9	16.7	15.6	15.1
South Australia . .	5.1	33.7	33.1	35.2	35.4	32.2	30.5	30.0	30.3
Western Australia . .	5.8	28.1	28.6	30.3	30.1	28.9	27.1	26.0	25.6
Tasmania . .	3.4	28.4	27.3	27.4	26.9	23.8	19.8	19.0	19.2
Total . .	5.6	28.0	28.3	30.0	29.6	28.1	26.5	25.7	25.1

(a) Not including persons out of work through strikes and lockouts.

## Industrial Disputes.—Number and Magnitude of Industrial Disputes (causing stoppage of work).

Period.	Num-ber.	Estab-lish-ments In-volved.	Workpeople Involved.			Working Days Lost—All Disputes.			Esti-mated Loss in Wages. £
			Di-rectly.	Indi-rectly.	Total.	New Dis-putes.	Old Dis-putes.	Total.	
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
Year 1932 ..	92	99	17,813	2,156	19,969	..	..	63,425	64,420
2nd Quarter, 1932	18	25	3,432	318	3,750	12,305	1,560	13,865	13,567
3rd Quarter, 1932	24	24	4,349	366	4,715	9,963	1,632	11,595	12,652
4th Quarter, 1932	17	17	3,717	400	4,117	14,907	1,128	16,035	14,168
1st Quarter, 1933	12	12	2,730	536	3,266	5,618	..	5,618	5,865
2nd Quarter, 1933	13	13	3,420	283	3,703	7,580	..	7,580	7,413
VICTORIA.									
Year 1932 ..	12	37	6,475	110	6,585	..	..	99,638	65,599
2nd Quarter, 1932	2	2	135	..	135	340	..	340	209
3rd Quarter, 1932	6	22	5,702	50	5,752	47,000	..	47,000	23,887
4th Quarter, 1932	3	9	488	60	548	1,888	48,160	50,048	34,928
1st Quarter, 1933	2	2	1,060	..	1,060	1,420	..	1,420	1,304
2nd Quarter, 1933	3	3	2,227	..	2,227	8,827	..	8,827	7,014
QUEENSLAND.									
Year 1932 ..	10	210	1,061	1,156	2,217	..	..	21,166	18,541
2nd Quarter, 1932	4	4	283	13	296	6,475	..	6,475	6,786
3rd Quarter, 1932	2	202	430	1,100	1,530	5,880	..	5,880	4,355
4th Quarter, 1932	1	1	170	..	170	1,020	..	1,020	600
1st Quarter, 1933	2	2	417	577	994	2,914	..	2,914	2,312
2nd Quarter, 1933	5	5	1,084	11	1,095	2,039	..	2,039	1,786
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.									
Year 1932 ..	2	3	109	4	113	..	..	970	664
2nd Quarter, 1932	1	1	78	4	82	164	..	164	100
3rd Quarter, 1932	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4th Quarter, 1932	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1st Quarter, 1933	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2nd Quarter, 1933	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.									
Year 1932 ..	8	16	2,531	162	2,693	..	..	11,203	9,538
2nd Quarter, 1932	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3rd Quarter, 1932	3	3	1,250	..	1,250	1,910	..	1,910	1,440
4th Quarter, 1932	1	1	272	22	294	1,176	..	1,176	966
1st Quarter, 1933	2	2	680	..	680	1,080	..	1,080	900
2nd Quarter, 1933	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TASMANIA.									
Year 1932 ..	2	4	1,163	..	1,163	..	..	15,562	6,516
2nd Quarter, 1932	1	1	60	..	60	120	..	120	79
3rd Quarter, 1932	1	3	1,103	..	1,103	15,442	..	15,442	6,437
4th Quarter, 1932	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1st Quarter, 1933	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2nd Quarter, 1933	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
AUSTRALIA.									
Year 1932 (a) ..	127	372	29,329	3,588	32,917	..	..	212,318	165,582
2nd Quarter, 1932	26	33	3,988	335	4,323	19,404	1,560	20,964	20,741
3rd Quarter, 1932	36	254	12,834	1,516	14,350	80,195	1,632	81,827	53,771
4th Quarter, 1932	22	28	4,647	482	5,129	18,991	49,288	68,279	50,662
1st Quarter, 1933	18	18	4,887	1,113	6,000	11,032	..	11,032	10,381
2nd Quarter, 1933	21	21	6,731	294	7,025	18,446	..	18,446	16,213

(a) Inclusive of a dispute in the Northern Territory—177 workpeople; working days lost; 354; estimated loss in wages, £304.

**Wages.—Adult Males—Weighted Average Nominal Weekly and Hourly Rates payable,  
and Weekly Hours of Labour, 30th June, 1933.**

Industrial Groups.	Particulars.(a)	N.S.W	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aus- tralia.
I. Wood, Furniture, &c...	Weekly Wage	88/5	79/1	92/11	73/6	77/6	80/3	83/8
	Working Hours	45.74	47.97	44.03	48.00	46.58	47.90	46.46
	Hourly Wage	1/11½	1/7½	2/1½	1/6½	1/8	1/8	1/9½
II. Engineering, Metal Works, &c.	Weekly Wage	86/1	77/5	89/7	73/8	84/3	81/5	82/-
	Working Hours	44.03	46.68	44.00	46.63	44.45	45.64	45.25
	Hourly Wage	1/11½	1/8	2/0½	1/7	1/10½	1/9½	1/9½
III. Food, Drink, &c. ..	Weekly Wage	86/11	79/-	88/-	82/10	83/3	80/6	84/2
	Working Hours	44.60	46.96	45.00	46.36	45.80	47.94	45.66
	Hourly Wage	1/11½	1/8½	1/11½	1/9½	1/9½	1/8½	1/10
IV. Clothing, Boots, &c...	Weekly Wage	76/1	76/10	77/3	77/3	84/7	73/7	76/9
	Working Hours	44.00	45.17	44.00	44.00	44.00	46.29	44.54
	Hourly Wage	1/8½	1/8½	1/9	1/9	1/11	1/7	1/8½
V. Books, Printing, &c...	Weekly Wage	101/9	96/4	101/4	86/5	105/6	87/9	98/5
	Working Hours	43.38	43.63	44.00	43.68	42.79	43.35	43.53
	Hourly Wage	2/4½	2/2½	2/3½	1/11½	2/5½	2/0½	2/3½
VI. Other Manufacturing ..	Weekly Wage	83/5	75/7	84/11	75/11	82/7	81/7	80/-
	Working Hours	45.29	47.21	45.16	47.25	46.03	46.94	46.21
	Hourly Wage	1/10½	1/7½	1/10½	1/7½	1/9½	1/8½	1/8½
VII. Building .. ..	Weekly Wage	98/10	87/5	103/4	83/8	88/2	83/6	93/3
	Working Hours	43.66	44.33	44.00	44.44	44.13	44.59	44.04
	Hourly Wage	2/3½	1/11½	2/4½	1/10½	2/-	1/10½	2/1½
VIII. Mining <sup>b</sup> .. ..	Weekly Wage	103/1	85/-	108/4	71/6	93/9	92/9	97/4
	Working Hours	42.95	45.33	43.47	43.79	43.65	44.83	43.72
	Hourly Wage	2/4½	1/10½	2/6	1/7½	2/1½	2/0½	2/2½
IX. Rail and Tram Services	Weekly Wage	83/-	78/7	86/3	74/4	80/11	74/8	81/1
	Working Hours	44.38	47.59	47.37	48.00	43.79	48.00	46.08
	Hourly Wage	1/10½	1/7½	1/9½	1/6½	1/10½	1/6½	1/9
X. Other Land Transport	Weekly Wage	84/4	71/7	86/3	69/4	79/7	70/2	78/8
	Working Hours	44.00	47.73	48.00	48.00	46.50	48.00	46.22
	Hourly Wage	1/11	1/6	1/9½	1/5½	1/8½	1/5½	1/8½
XI. Shipping, &c. ..	Weekly Wage <sup>c</sup>	80/11	80/-	79/4	81/5	79/3	79/11	80/5
	Working Hours	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Hourly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XII. Pastoral, Agricultural, &c.	Weekly Wage <sup>d</sup>	76/3	70/6	82/-	66/10	72/9	74/4	74/9
	Working Hours	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Hourly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, &c.	Weekly Wage <sup>d</sup>	79/5	73/4	78/7	70/10	75/11	65/9	76/3
	Working Hours	44.00	48.00	47.80	48.00	48.00	48.00	46.39
	Hourly Wage	1/9½	1/6½	1/7½	1/5½	1/7	1/4½	1/7½
XIV. Miscellaneous ..	Weekly Wage	81/4	76/5	85/6	70/6	74/11	72/3	78/8
	Working Hours	44.54	47.74	45.22	47.84	47.23	47.88	46.20
	Hourly Wage	1/10	1/7½	1/10½	1/5½	1/7	1/6	1/8½
All Groups .. ..	Weekly Wage	84/11	77/5	88/2	73/2	81/1	78/-	81/9
	Working Hours	87/4	78/10	90/11	74/6	82/11	79/6	83/7
	Hourly Wage	44.23	46.86	44.99	46.83	45.51	46.75	45.51
All Groups excepting XI. and XII.	Weekly Wage	1/11½	1/8½	2/0½	1/7	1/9½	1/8½	1/10

(a) Particulars relate to the *weighted average* weekly wage, working hours, and hourly wage respectively. (b) Average rates of wage and hours prevailing at the principal mining centres in each State. (c) Average rates of wage are for occupations other than Masters, Officers, and Engineers in the Merchant Marine Service and include value of victualling and accommodation. (d) Including the estimated value of board and lodging, where supplied.

**Wages.—Adult Females—Weighted Average Nominal Weekly and Hourly Rates payable, and Weekly Hours of Labour, 30th June, 1933.**

Industrial Groups.	Particulars.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aus- tralia.
III. Food, Drink, &c. ..	Weekly Wage	41/8	41/9	40/5	34/9	37/3	37/6	41/2
	Working Hours	44.80	47.33	45.00	48.00	44.00	48.00	46.17
	Hourly Wage	0/11½	0/10½	0/10½	0/8½	0/10½	0/9½	0/10½
	Weekly Wage	42/9	41/1	42/2	42/2	45/4	40/1	41/11
IV. Clothing, Boots, &c. ..	Working Hours	44.00	44.86	44.00	44.00	44.00	45.33	44.41
	Weekly Wage	0/11½	0/11	0/11½	0/11½	1/0½	0/10½	0/11½
	Hourly Wage	42/7	45/7	44/4	41/11	..	45/-	44/2
	Weekly Wage	44.19	45.73	44.14	46.19	..	44.00	45.05
I., II., V., & VI. All other Manufacturing	Working Hours	0/11½	1/-	1/-	0/11	..	1/0½	0/11½
	Weekly Wage	45/-	45/10	48/3	38/3	51/4	50/6	46/1
	Hourly Wage	43.38	46.15	46.00	48.00	47.20	48.00	45.43
	Weekly Wage	1/0½	1/-	1/0½	0/9½	1/1	1/0½	1/0½
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, &c. ...	Working Hours	48/5	44/9	54/6	40/-	..	..	47/-
	Hourly Wage	44.00	46.00	44.00	48.00	..	..	45.14
	Weekly Wage	1/1½	0/11½	1/2½	0/10	..	..	1/0½
	Hourly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XIV. Shop Assistants, Clerks, &c.	Working Hours	44/6	42/11	46/7	40/8	48/2	43/2	43/11
	Weekly Wage	43.93	45.44	44.56	46.03	45.57	46.07	44.88
	Hourly Wage	1/0½	0/11½	1/0½	0/10½	1/0½	0/11½	0/11½
	Weekly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
All Groups ..	Working Hours	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Hourly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Weekly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Hourly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

(a) Including the estimated value of board and lodging, where supplied.

**Wages.—Weighted Average Nominal Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work, and Wage Index-numbers.**

Dates.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aus- tralia.
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**ADULT MALES—RATES OF WAGE.**

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
31st December, 1914 ..	56 2	54 7	53 5	54 5	62 10	52 8	65 7
31st December, 1929 ..	102 11	101 1	101 2	97 2	100 7	94 8	101 2
31st December, 1930 ..	99 1	96 11	92 5	92 8	99 7	92 1	96 9
31st December, 1931 ..	93 5	82 2	89 0	75 0	84 1	79 9	86 10
30th June, 1932 ..	92 6	80 7	88 8	73 8	82 7	78 9	85 8
30th September, 1932 ..	85 4	78 8	88 8	73 6	82 7	78 7	82 5
31st December, 1932 ..	84 11	77 10	88 5	72 7	81 9	78 1	81 10
31st March, 1933 ..	84 9	76 5	88 1	71 11	81 1	77 8	81 3
30th June, 1933 ..	84 11	77 5	88 2	73 2	81 1	78 0	81 9

**ADULT MALES—INDEX-NUMBERS.—(BASE—51s. 3d. IN 1911 = 1000.)**

	1,096	1,065	1,042	1,062	1,226	1,028	1,085
31st December, 1914 ..	1,096	1,065	1,042	1,062	1,226	1,028	1,085
31st December, 1929 ..	2,007	1,972	1,975	1,896	1,963	1,843	1,974
31st December, 1930 ..	1,933	1,891	1,803	1,807	1,943	1,797	1,887
31st December, 1931 ..	1,823	1,603	1,737	1,493	1,641	1,556	1,694
30th June, 1932 ..	1,804	1,573	1,731	1,433	1,612	1,536	1,672
30th September, 1932 ..	1,664	1,535	1,731	1,434	1,611	1,532	1,608
31st December, 1932 ..	1,657	1,518	1,726	1,416	1,595	1,523	1,597
31st March, 1933 ..	1,653	1,492	1,718	1,404	1,582	1,516	1,585
30th June, 1933 ..	1,657	1,511	1,721	1,428	1,583	1,523	1,595

**ADULT FEMALES—RATES OF WAGE.**

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
31st December, 1914 ..	26 10	27 9	27 1	24 1	37 4	53 0	27 5
31st December, 1929 ..	53 11	54 1	54 10	51 4	58 10	53 9	54 1
31st December, 1930 ..	53 8	53 6	52 11	51 2	60 1	53 8	53 7
31st December, 1931 ..	49 8	45 10	47 11	43 1	51 7	45 8	47 5
30th June, 1932 ..	49 0	44 7	47 1	41 10	50 0	44 4	46 5
30th September, 1932 ..	44 10	43 7	46 9	40 11	50 0	43 4	44 2
31st December, 1932 ..	44 8	43 0	46 9	40 8	48 4	43 2	43 10
31st March, 1933 ..	44 5	42 9	46 6	40 8	48 4	43 2	43 10
30th June, 1933 ..	44 6	42 11	46 7	40 8	48 2	43 2	43 11

**ADULT FEMALES—INDEX-NUMBERS.—(BASE—27s. 2d. IN APRIL, 1914 = 1000.)**

	987	1,022	996	885	1,373	950	1,008
31st December, 1914 ..	987	1,022	996	885	1,373	950	1,008
31st December, 1929 ..	1,983	1,990	2,020	1,888	2,165	1,978	1,990
31st December, 1930 ..	1,974	1,968	1,947	1,884	2,211	1,976	1,971
31st December, 1931 ..	1,828	1,688	1,765	1,584	1,900	1,681	1,746
30th June, 1932 ..	1,803	1,640	1,733	1,540	1,839	1,632	1,707
30th September, 1932 ..	1,649	1,603	1,720	1,505	1,839	1,597	1,635
31st December, 1932 ..	1,644	1,583	1,720	1,505	1,826	1,595	1,624
31st March, 1933 ..	1,634	1,574	1,713	1,496	1,779	1,588	1,614
30th June, 1933 ..	1,637	1,579	1,713	1,497	1,772	1,590	1,616



## Basic Weekly Wage Rates fixed by State Industrial Tribunals.

State.	Basic Wage.		Date of Operation.	Family Unit (for Male Rate).
	Males.	Females.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
New South Wales ..	(a) 3 6 6	1 16 0	1.11.33	Man, wife and child
Victoria ..	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Queensland ..	3 14 0	1 19 0	1.7.31	Man, wife, and three children
South Australia ..	(d) 3 3 0	(e) 1 11 6	..	" (c) "
Western Australia..	(f) 3 9 3	1 17 5	(g) 3.8.33	" (c) "
Tasmania ..	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)

(a) Plus child allowances.

(b) None declared, but follow Federal rates to a large extent.

(c) Although the family unit is not specifically defined in the legislation of this State, the tribunal appointed to determine the basic wage has adopted the unit of man, wife and two children. (d) Judgment dated 17th August, 1931.

(e) Judgment dated 4th December, 1931.

(f) Metropolitan Area. Basic

wage for Goldfields Areas and other portions of State exclusive of the S.W. Land Division—males, £3 17s. 6d.; females, £2 1s. 10d.; Agricultural Areas and S.W. Land Division—males, £3 9s. 6d.; females, £1 17s. 6d. Under the provisions of the "Financial Emergency Act," the Court of Arbitration made orders, on the application of employers in a number of industries and callings, reducing the basic wage rate by 18, 20 or 22½ per cent. of 87s. per week, the basic wage rate on the 30th June, 1930, according to total salary received. (g) Date declared.

## Basic Weekly Wage Rates fixed by Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration for each Capital City.

Capital.	1st August, 1933.(a)		1st November, 1933.(a)	
	"Harvester" Equivalent Plus adjusted "Powers' 3s."	Weekly Rate after 10 per cent. Reduction.	"Harvester" Equivalent Plus adjusted "Powers' 3s."	Weekly Rate after 10 per cent. Reduction.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Sydney ..	74 4	66 11	74 4	66 11
Melbourne ..	69 4	62 5	69 10	62 10
Brisbane ..	65 5	58 10	65 11	59 4
Adelaide ..	65 9	59 2	66 3	59 7
Perth ..	65 4	58 10	66 11	60 3
Hobart ..	70 11	63 10	71 0	63 11
Weighted Average— Six Capitals ..	70 4	63 4	70 4	63 4

(a) "D" Series Indexes—Commonwealth Arbitration Court's Award of 5th May, 1933.

## Awards of Industrial Courts and Wages Board Determinations Made and Industrial Agreements Filed.

State.	1928.		1929.		1930.		1931.		1932.	
	Awards or Determinations made.	Agreements filed.	Awards or Determinations made.	Agreements filed.	Awards or Determinations made.	Agreements filed.	Awards or Determinations made.	Agreements filed.	Awards or Determinations made.	Agreements filed.
New South Wales ..	93	36	55	27	31	16	46	40	38	25
Victoria ..	73	..	46	..	83	..	204	..	103	..
Queensland ..	34	27	21	16	14	44	48	23	21	4
South Australia ..	14	4	13	9	17	1	64	16	18	8
Western Australia ..	19	23	15	29	8	38	7	10	5	4
Tasmania ..	10	3	4	2	10	1	31	3	11	3
Commonwealth Court ..	40	30	29	26	17	10	11	16	21	9
Commonwealth Public Service Arbitrator ..	6	..	4	..	5	..	1	..	1	..
Total ..	289	128	187	109	185	110	412	112	218	53

## Section VII.—Retail Price Index-Numbers—Food, Groceries, Housing, etc.

Note.—The index-numbers on this and the next three pages are reckoned in comparison with the post-war period 1923-1927. The average prices for these five years for the Six Capitals are made equal to 1,000. In these tables the rent of 4 and 5 roomed houses only is taken into account.

The index-numbers of food and housing used by the Commonwealth Arbitration Court are given on succeeding pages (pp. 75, 76). For these the base is 1911. The same food prices are used, but the rent of all houses of any number of rooms is taken into account, so that the index may be briefly described as the "All-houses" index. ("A" Series.)

A further series of index-numbers, "Harvester—All Items" ("D" Series) for the use of this Court is published on pages 77 and 78.

### Retail Price Index-Numbers.(a)—Capital Cities.

#### "B" Series.

Base in each Section :—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities during five-yearly period—1923-1927=1,000.

NOTE.—The index-numbers given in the separate parts of the table cannot be compared with each other in order to show the relative cost of (say) housing, and food and groceries, since the cost in 1923-1927 in each group or combination is made equal to 1,000.

CITY.	1911.	1921.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1932.	1933.			
							4th. Qr.	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	
GROUPS I., II., AND III. COMBINED—FOOD AND GROCERIES.											
Sydney .. .. .	553	1,062	1,090	984	876	852	828	796	799	808	
Melbourne .. ..	523	1,063	1,004	913	791	758	722	688	703	725	
Brisbane .. .. .	569	1,014	951	844	778	738	716	692	697	702	
Adelaide .. .. .	570	1,066	1,055	937	789	761	721	711	731	743	
Perth .. .. .	753	1,116	1,084	961	836	804	760	738	776	758	
Hobart .. .. .	592	1,133	1,025	952	816	797	774	737	750	777	
Weighted Average ..	559	1,064	1,044	941	826	796	765	736	748	760	

#### GROUP IV.—HOUSING—WEIGHTED AVERAGE, 4 AND 5 ROOMS.

Sydney .. .. .	701	989	1,162	1,197	1,026	894	876	873	863	861
Melbourne .. ..	569	820	1,094	1,011	867	816	802	806	799	799
Brisbane .. .. .	373	630	841	775	680	641	636	660	694	683
Adelaide .. .. .	706	809	986	916	755	691	683	692	693	694
Perth .. .. .	524	739	955	979	881	810	801	795	794	796
Hobart .. .. .	452	881	932	914	901	868	863	853	859	864
Weighted Average ..	612	862	1,073	1,047	901	817	804	806	804	802

#### ALL GROUPS COMBINED.—FOOD, GROCERIES, AND HOUSING (4 AND 5 ROOMS).

Sydney .. .. .	606	1,036	1,115	1,059	929	867	844	822	821	826
Melbourne .. ..	539	977	1,036	948	818	778	749	727	735	750
Brisbane .. .. .	500	877	912	819	743	704	687	678	692	692
Adelaide .. .. .	618	975	1,030	929	777	736	706	702	716	724
Perth .. .. .	672	982	1,038	968	852	805	772	755	781	769
Hobart .. .. .	542	1,044	992	939	846	822	805	776	787	807
Weighted Average ..	578	992	1,054	978	852	803	778	759	766	774

(a) As the price index-number increases, the purchasing-power of money diminishes.

Retail Price Index-Numbers (c) (Food, Groceries, and Housing, 4 and 5 rooms) with Weighted Average for the Six Capital Cities during the five-yearly period 1923-1927 as Base = 1,000.  
 ("B" Series.)

Particulars.	1911.	1921.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1932.	1933.		
							4th Qr.	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.
NEW SOUTH WALES—										
Sydney .. ..	606	1,036	1,115	1,059	929	867	844	822	821	826
Newcastle .. ..	..	1,013	1,068	998	877	823	803	783	786	798
Broken Hill .. ..	..	966	1,078	1,021	901	835	806	787	790	786
Goulburn .. ..	..	1,006	1,146	1,050	882	834	820	795	795	795
Bathurst .. ..	..	891	987	969	869	805	784	767	774	789
(a) Weighted Average .. ..	..	1,029	1,110	1,052	923	862	839	817	817	822
VICTORIA—										
Melbourne .. ..	539	977	1,036	948	818	778	749	727	735	750
Ballarat .. ..	..	859	914	861	746	717	694	683	690	703
Bendigo .. ..	..	861	962	884	764	730	709	688	691	707
Geelong .. ..	..	929	985	900	793	763	737	719	726	741
Warrnambool .. ..	..	932	940	909	815	802	781	748	755	773
(a) Weighted Average .. ..	..	959	1,026	940	812	773	745	723	731	746
QUEENSLAND—										
Brisbane .. ..	500	877	912	819	743	704	687	678	692	692
Toowoomba .. ..	..	812	855	804	716	699	690	683	677	688
Rockhampton .. ..	..	829	877	832	765	728	707	683	684	688
Charters Towers .. ..	..	865	975	879	805	758	741	714	704	691
Warwick .. ..	..	851	867	803	745	716	699	680	686	683
(a) Weighted Average .. ..	..	864	906	821	745	708	691	681	691	691
SOUTH AUSTRALIA—										
Adelaide .. ..	618	975	1,030	929	777	736	706	702	716	724
Kadina, Moonta, Wallaroo .. ..	..	889	891	810	703	681	655	645	651	650
Port Pirie .. ..	..	922	963	911	790	749	713	694	697	697
Mount Gambier .. ..	..	854	866	804	707	714	699	692	692	693
Peterborough .. ..	..	906	1,042	961	811	774	749	743	746	750
(a) Weighted Average .. ..	..	957	1,020	922	774	734	705	700	713	720
WESTERN AUSTRALIA—										
Perth, &c. .. ..	672	982	1,038	968	852	805	772	755	781	769
Kalgoorlie and Boulder .. ..	..	1,001	1,010	941	874	892	884	874	889	901
Northam .. ..	..	949	1,072	992	872	836	805	785	810	801
Bunbury .. ..	..	959	996	968	846	804	793	765	788	791
Geraldton .. ..	..	1,004	1,090	1,058	960	902	852	814	822	824
(a) Weighted Average .. ..	..	984	1,036	967	857	817	786	769	793	785
TASMANIA—										
Hobart .. ..	542	1,044	992	939	846	822	805	776	787	807
Launceston .. ..	..	936	937	891	800	772	755	737	746	755
Burnie .. ..	..	890	972	904	797	784	760	735	738	731
Devonport .. ..	..	751	930	880	791	777	757	731	733	733
Queenstown .. ..	..	918	920	890	815	822	815	800	815	812
(a) Weighted Average .. ..	..	983	970	919	828	804	787	762	772	786
Weighted Average for 30 towns .. ..	..	977	1,044	970	847	800	776	757	763	771
Weighted Average 6 Capital Cities .. ..	578	992	1,054	978	852	803	778	759	766	774
(b) Canberra (F.C.T.) .. ..	..	..	1,433	1,365	1,118	999	969	955	959	960
(b) Townsville (Q.) .. ..	..	1,039	1,048	962	890	842	818	807	807	795

(a) Weighted Average for the five towns.

(b) Not included in above weighted averages.

(c) As the price index-number increases, the purchasing-power of money diminishes.

**RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS (FOOD AND GROCERIES), WITH WEIGHTED  
AVERAGE FOR THE SIX CAPITAL CITIES DURING THE FIVE-YEARLY  
PERIOD 1923-1927 AS BASE = 1,000.**

Particulars.	1914.	1932.			1933.			Per- cent- age in- crease from July, 1914, to Sept. 1933.
	July.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES—</b>								
Sydney .. .. .	645	853	851	845	804	813	807	25.1
Newcastle .. .. .	642	839	838	845	799	812	815	26.9
Broken Hill .. .. .	821	969	967	964	873	878	876	6.7
Goulburn .. .. .	661	842	840	836	789	788	783	18.5
Bathurst .. .. .	613	828	814	811	787	798	797	30.0
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	652	855	852	848	805	814	809	24.1
<b>VICTORIA—</b>								
Melbourne .. .. .	619	758	751	747	710	726	737	19.1
Ballarat .. .. .	617	747	762	761	723	750	758	22.9
Bendigo .. .. .	619	776	777	779	726	754	757	22.3
Geelong .. .. .	609	781	782	774	728	762	768	26.1
Warrnambool .. .. .	608	804	795	800	737	772	778	28.0
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	618	760	754	750	712	730	740	19.7
<b>QUEENSLAND—</b>								
Brisbane .. .. .	591	731	728	729	695	703	708	19.8
Toowoomba .. .. .	582	731	724	722	671	686	689	18.4
Rockhampton .. .. .	646	801	791	793	757	748	745	15.3
Charters Towers .. .. .	696	869	861	867	794	785	790	13.5
Warwick .. .. .	605	774	763	767	732	726	733	21.2
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	605	743	739	740	703	709	713	17.9
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA—</b>								
Adelaide .. .. .	699	766	755	746	730	752	747	6.9
Kadina, Moonta, Wallaroo .. .. .	688	852	851	846	799	800	803	16.7
Port Pirie .. .. .	722	817	812	808	743	758	755	4.6
Mount Gambier .. .. .	595	768	766	764	730	748	742	24.7
Peterborough .. .. .	749	817	810	795	765	781	785	4.8
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	697	772	761	753	734	754	750	7.6
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA—</b>								
Perth, &c. .. .. .	749	803	797	788	755	765	753	0.5
Kalgoorlie and Boulder .. .. .	931	970	970	970	942	941	940	1.0
Northam .. .. .	861	853	842	819	807	805	805	..
Bunbury .. .. .	793	835	829	835	791	812	810	2.1
Geraldton .. .. .	808	864	858	847	769	761	759	-6.1
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	790	823	818	810	777	785	775	-1.9
<b>TASMANIA—</b>								
Hobart .. .. .	678	788	786	791	760	783	788	16.2
Launceston .. .. .	640	772	769	767	740	750	755	18.0
Burnie .. .. .	825	814	820	820	764	765	762	..
Devonport .. .. .	806	795	799	768	754	773	773	..
Queenstown .. .. .	735	900	902	893	872	876	875	19.0
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	672	790	787	790	759	775	780	16.1
Weighted Average for 30 Towns .. .. .	651	800	796	792	754	767	768	18.0
Weighted Average, 6 Capital Cities .. .. .	645	796	791	787	751	764	764	18.4
(b) Canberra (F.C.T.) .. .. .	..	903	899	899	864	857	857	..
(b) Townsville (Queensland) .. .. .	..	834	835	837	792	795	807	..

(a) Weighted average for five towns.

(b) Not included in above weighted averages.



## THE "ALL ITEMS" INDEX.

("C" Series.)

Retail Price Index-Numbers (Food, Groceries, Housing—4 and 5 rooms only, Clothing and Miscellaneous Expenditure) with Weighted Average for the Six Capital Cities during the five-yearly period, 1923-1927, as Base = 1,000.

State and Town.	November, 1914.	November, 1921.	Year 1929.	Year 1930.	Year 1931.	Year 1932.	1932.			1933.	
							2nd Qtr.	3rd Qtr.	4th Qtr.	1st Qtr.	2nd Qtr.
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES—</b>											
Sydney ..	712	1,046	1,073	1,026	922	867	874	(b)			
Newcastle ..	..	1,041	1,028	991	888	840	848	838	846	833	833
Broken Hill ..	..	975	1,018	973	882	834	836	836	814	801	816
Goulburn ..	..	1,033	1,108	1,039	922	877	883	878	866	849	808
Bathurst ..	..	947	979	959	867	820	832	815	800	849	843
(a) Weighted Average	..	1,042	1,067	1,022	918	863	870	860	843	793	799
<b>VICTORIA—</b>											
Melbourne ..	671	1,003	1,017	956	846	813	818	809	794	831	830
Ballarat ..	..	992	957	906	808	776	780	770	761	780	786
Bendigo ..	..	1,002	969	926	833	808	813	806	795	754	757
Geelong ..	..	1,019	980	917	822	794	800	791	777	782	785
Warrnambool ..	..	1,034	960	939	860	838	843	833	824	766	770
(a) Weighted Average	..	1,003	1,011	951	843	811	816	807	792	805	809
<b>QUEENSLAND—</b>											
Brisbane ..	611	923	923	859	798	764	767	758	752	779	784
Toowoomba ..	..	949	916	885	816	788	799	787	778	747	752
Rockhampton ..	..	972	904	868	806	779	784	773	766	776	774
Charters Towers ..	..	1,025	939	888	827	794	798	788	784	750	753
Warwick ..	..	994	931	882	815	777	783	770	764	769	764
(a) Weighted Average	..	941	922	863	801	768	772	763	757	756	760
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA—</b>											
Adelaide ..	699	989	1,037	952	837	802	810	797	783	750	754
Kadina, &c. ..	..	998	943	885	801	772	777	771	753	781	789
Port Pirie ..	..	1,025	980	927	834	791	800	787	769	745	747
Mount Gambler ..	..	1,029	963	918	831	816	822	810	805	762	763
Peterborough ..	..	948	1,043	980	884	848	852	843	832	801	800
(a) Weighted Average	..	992	1,030	948	836	801	809	796	782	830	830
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA—</b>											
Perth, &c. ..	707	1,008	1,026	977	885	840	848	836	816	779	786
Kalgoorlie, &c. ..	..	1,048	1,032	986	937	940	952	943	935	805	819
Northam ..	..	1,030	1,022	969	878	844	856	841	826	928	937
Bunbury ..	..	1,045	978	966	877	842	848	845	835	815	821
Geraldton ..	..	1,056	1,051	1,029	951	904	922	899	871	817	827
(a) Weighted Average	..	1,020	1,026	979	891	852	860	849	830	850	851
<b>TASMANIA—</b>											
Hobart ..	687	1,070	1,000	956	875	844	853	840	832	819	832
Launceston ..	..	1,037	967	949	865	832	837	827	820	817	822
Burnie ..	..	1,003	965	918	837	811	815	805	796	812	818
Devonport ..	..	904	948	920	831	800	809	789	787	780	781
Queenstown ..	..	1,031	972	949	881	875	876	874	872	772	773
(a) Weighted Average	..	1,057	936	951	869	838	846	833	826	862	871
Weighted Average for 20 Towns	..	1,013	1,026	971	870	829	835	825	811	813	818
Weighted Average for 6 Capital Cities	687	1,013	1,033	975	873	830	837	826	811	799	803
										800	804

(a) Weighted Average for five towns.  
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(b) Corrected figures to replace those published in Quarterly

## THE "ALL HOUSES" INDEX.

("A" Series.)

Note.—The index-numbers on this and the following pages are those prepared for the Commonwealth Arbitration Court (see note at top of page 71). They are reckoned to a different base period (1911), and take into account the rent of all houses.

For further explanation on this subject, see Labour Report, 1930, Appendix VIII, which is also published separately under the title of "Wages and Prices".

The "Harvester-All Items" Index ("D" Series) will be found on pages 77 & 78.

Retail Price Index-Numbers (Food, Groceries, and Housing—All Houses), with Weighted Average for the Six Capital Cities in 1911 as Base=1,000.

State and Town.	1911.	1914.	1921.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES—</b>									
Sydney .. .. .	1,031	1,206	1,724	1,830	1,839	1,916	1,792	1,596	1,508
Newcastle .. .. .	..	904	1,069	1,715	1,719	1,766	1,654	1,475	1,378
Broken Hill .. .. .	..	1,068	1,554	1,681	1,682	1,769	1,661	1,465	1,369
Goulburn .. .. .	..	1,130	1,694	1,814	1,833	1,904	1,758	1,506	1,442
Bathurst .. .. .	..	987	1,493	1,564	1,559	1,631	1,553	1,415	1,317
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	..	1,179	1,709	1,814	1,822	1,898	1,775	1,580	1,491
<b>VICTORIA—</b>									
Melbourne .. .. .	950	1,105	1,737	1,781	1,746	1,812	1,672	1,448	1,378
Ballarat .. .. .	..	904	1,502	1,544	1,548	1,626	1,538	1,364	1,314
Bendigo .. .. .	..	922	1,492	1,576	1,575	1,641	1,526	1,327	1,261
Geelong .. .. .	..	1,012	1,612	1,714	1,690	1,728	1,585	1,421	1,384
Warrnambool .. .. .	..	959	1,604	1,569	1,566	1,634	1,594	1,446	1,425
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	..	1,075	1,698	1,759	1,723	1,794	1,658	1,439	1,371
<b>QUEENSLAND—</b>									
Brisbane .. .. .	915	997	1,511	1,598	1,595	1,620	1,441	1,315	1,258
Toowoomba .. .. .	..	950	1,432	1,496	1,458	1,493	1,403	1,277	1,242
Rockhampton .. .. .	..	988	1,424	1,594	1,520	1,559	1,468	1,345	1,279
Charter Towers .. .. .	..	988	1,423	1,532	1,508	1,558	1,409	1,294	1,244
Warwick .. .. .	..	912	1,468	1,496	1,435	1,484	1,382	1,282	1,233
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	..	988	1,486	1,585	1,571	1,600	1,438	1,313	1,258
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA—</b>									
Adelaide .. .. .	1,058	1,143	1,653	1,742	1,730	1,772	1,593	1,341	1,266
Kadina, Moonta, Wallaroo .. .. .	..	960	1,476	1,471	1,442	1,491	1,360	1,168	1,143
Port Pirie .. .. .	..	1,055	1,525	1,570	1,547	1,610	1,510	1,321	1,257
Mount Gambier .. .. .	..	923	1,418	1,403	1,409	1,453	1,340	1,181	1,189
Peterborough .. .. .	..	1,126	1,536	1,659	1,670	1,743	1,609	1,372	1,305
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	..	1,122	1,628	1,719	1,706	1,749	1,577	1,331	1,280
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA—</b>									
Perth, &c. .. .. .	1,126	1,143	1,609	1,605	1,677	1,715	1,591	1,416	1,329
Kalgoorlie and Boulder .. .. .	..	1,291	1,647	1,512	1,539	1,633	1,500	1,389	1,446
Northam .. .. .	..	..	..	1,615	1,614	1,667	1,553	1,355	1,313
Bunbury .. .. .	..	1,111	1,487	1,539	1,562	1,598	1,511	1,318	1,252
Geraldton .. .. .	..	1,315	1,596	1,575	1,676	1,642	1,588	1,462	1,380
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	..	1,175	1,611	1,593	1,656	1,701	1,579	1,411	1,341
<b>TASMANIA—</b>									
Hobart .. .. .	954	1,090	1,785	1,712	1,661	1,729	1,647	1,472	1,437
Launceston .. .. .	..	1,014	1,612	1,593	1,585	1,631	1,561	1,416	1,363
Burnie .. .. .	..	..	..	1,574	1,573	1,649	1,556	1,358	1,334
Devonport .. .. .	..	..	..	1,589	1,554	1,621	1,509	1,374	1,360
Queenstown .. .. .	..	1,021	1,468	1,384	1,407	1,498	1,449	1,329	1,325
(a) Weighted Average .. .. .	..	1,041	1,671	1,656	1,622	1,685	1,606	1,442	1,404
Weighted Average—30 Towns .. .. .	..	1,113	1,668	1,744	1,738	1,799	1,665	1,467	1,393
Weighted Average—6 Capitals .. .. .	1,000	1,140	1,697	1,766	1,760	1,822	1,683	1,479	1,403
(b) Canberra (F.C.T.) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2,329	2,454	2,343	1,876	1,669

(a) Weighted Average for the five towns. (b) Not included in above weighted averages.  
(c) Decrease mainly due to special revision of rents and rates.

## THE "ALL HOUSES" INDEX.

("A" Series.)

Retail Price Index-Numbers (Food, Groceries, and Housing—All Houses), with Weighted Average of Food, Groceries, and Rent of All Houses for the Six Capital Cities in 1911 as Base = 1,000.

State and Town.	1932.			1933.			Index-Numbers for Twelve Months ended—	
	Second Quarter (April to June.)	Third Quarter (July to September.)	Fourth Quarter (October to December.)	First Quarter (January to March.)	Second Quarter (April to June.)	Third Quarter (July to September.)	30th September, 1933.	30th June, 1933.
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES—</b>								
Sydney .. ..	1,522	1,502	1,474	1,436	1,436	1,448	1,449	1,462
Newcastle ..	1,385	1,382	1,346	1,316	1,321	1,341	1,331	1,341
Broken Hill ..	1,377	1,385	1,322	1,290	1,296	1,288	1,299	1,323
Goulburn ..	1,458	1,451	1,422	1,388	1,390	1,390	1,398	1,413
Bathurst ..	1,335	1,313	1,279	1,252	1,264	1,289	1,271	1,277
Weighted Average, N.S.W. ..	1,504	1,487	1,457	1,420	1,421	1,433	1,433	1,446
<b>VICTORIA—</b>								
Melbourne ..	1,392	1,369	1,332	1,294	1,307	1,332	1,316	1,326
Ballarat ..	1,322	1,304	1,279	1,256	1,268	1,291	1,274	1,277
Bendigo ..	1,274	1,259	1,226	1,196	1,200	1,225	1,212	1,220
Geelong ..	1,400	1,383	1,342	1,312	1,323	1,348	1,331	1,340
Warrnambool ..	1,437	1,424	1,393	1,384	1,346	1,374	1,362	1,374
Weighted Average, Victoria ..	1,385	1,363	1,327	1,290	1,303	1,327	1,312	1,321
<b>QUEENSLAND—</b>								
Brisbane ..	1,269	1,246	1,229	1,199	1,215	1,214	1,214	1,222
Toowoomba ..	1,260	1,239	1,219	1,195	1,188	1,199	1,200	1,210
Rockhampton ..	1,290	1,263	1,244	1,204	1,210	1,207	1,216	1,230
Charlton Towers ..	1,257	1,230	1,213	1,164	1,148	1,128	1,163	1,189
Warwick ..	1,247	1,226	1,210	1,175	1,186	1,184	1,189	1,199
Weighted Average, Q'land ..	1,269	1,246	1,228	1,197	1,210	1,209	1,211	1,220
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA—</b>								
Adelaide ..	1,289	1,258	1,218	1,210	1,234	1,249	1,228	1,230
Kadina, &c. ..	1,157	1,146	1,103	1,086	1,096	1,094	1,095	1,108
Port Pirie ..	1,280	1,250	1,199	1,171	1,178	1,179	1,182	1,200
Mount Gambier ..	1,201	1,182	1,164	1,153	1,152	1,154	1,156	1,163
Peterborough ..	1,319	1,296	1,262	1,254	1,260	1,267	1,261	1,268
Weighted Average, S.A. ..	1,282	1,252	1,212	1,203	1,225	1,239	1,220	1,223
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA—</b>								
Perth, &c. ..	1,363	1,316	1,277	1,250	1,293	1,273	1,273	1,284
Kalgoorlie, &c. ..	1,469	1,450	1,431	1,412	1,431	1,437	1,428	1,431
Northam ..	1,343	1,319	1,274	1,246	1,278	1,263	1,265	1,279
Bunbury ..	1,270	1,254	1,239	1,192	1,229	1,232	1,223	1,229
Geraldton ..	1,427	1,372	1,300	1,250	1,271	1,278	1,275	1,298
Weighted Average, W.A. ..	1,373	1,330	1,292	1,265	1,305	1,289	1,288	1,298
<b>TASMANIA—</b>								
Hobart ..	1,456	1,427	1,410	1,367	1,381	1,411	1,392	1,396
Launceston ..	1,377	1,352	1,334	1,307	1,319	1,332	1,323	1,328
Burnie ..	1,347	1,320	1,297	1,259	1,265	1,255	1,269	1,285
Devonport ..	1,382	1,335	1,328	1,294	1,302	1,295	1,305	1,315
Queenstown ..	1,329	1,321	1,317	1,291	1,307	1,303	1,305	1,309
Weighted Average, Tas. ..	1,422	1,394	1,377	1,340	1,352	1,374	1,361	1,366
Weighted Average, for 30 Towns ..	1,409	1,386	1,354	1,321	1,332	1,345	1,338	1,348
<b>Weighted Average, 6 Capital Cities ..</b>	1,419	1,395	1,363	1,330	1,342	1,355	1,348	1,358
(a) Canberra (F.C.T.)	1,687	1,658	1,623	1,600	1,608	1,611	1,611	1,622

(a) Not included in above weighted averages.

## THE "HARVESTER—ALL ITEMS" INDEX—"D" SERIES).

The following Table represents the Equivalent "Harvester" Index Numbers for the Towns and States shown, derived by applying the variations of the "All Items" Index Numbers ("C" Series—page 74) to the "All Houses" base Index Numbers ("A" Series), in accordance with the Award of the Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration delivered 5th May, 1933, any may be used for the adjustment of all wages covered by that Award.

These Index Numbers will be known as the "Harvester—All Items" ("D" Series) to distinguish them from the ordinary "Harvester" Index Numbers ("A" Series), published on pages 75 and 76 of the "Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics."

Base.—Relevant "Harvester" Index Number ("A" Series) for each Town or Combination of Towns affected for 4th Quarter, 1929.

## (1) INDIVIDUAL TOWNS.

Town.	1929.	1932.	1933.		Year ended—	
	4th Quarter (Base).	4th Quarter.	1st Quarter.	2nd Quarter.	2nd Quarter, 1933.	1st Quarter, 1933.
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES—</b>						
Sydney .. .. .	1,929	1,521	1,498	1,498	1,517	1,535
Newcastle .. .. .	1,769	1,415	1,404	1,404	1,416	1,430
Broken Hill .. .. .	1,793	1,434	1,411	1,423	1,435	1,447
Goulburn .. .. .	1,926	1,505	1,476	1,465	1,493	1,511
Bathurst .. .. .	1,642	1,342	1,330	1,340	1,345	1,359
Weighted Average—New South Wales	1,910	1,509	1,488	1,486	1,506	1,523
<b>VICTORIA—</b>						
Melbourne .. .. .	1,815	1,417	1,392	1,403	1,414	1,428
Ballarat .. .. .	1,655	1,316	1,304	1,309	1,315	1,325
Bendigo .. .. .	1,659	1,361	1,339	1,344	1,356	1,368
Geelong .. .. .	1,734	1,375	1,355	1,362	1,373	1,387
Warrnambool .. .. .	1,688	1,449	1,415	1,422	1,438	1,453
Weighted Average—Victoria	1,799	1,409	1,386	1,395	1,407	1,421
<b>QUEENSLAND—</b>						
Brisbane .. .. .	1,624	1,323	1,314	1,323	1,324	1,330
Toowoomba .. .. .	1,508	1,281	1,278	1,274	1,282	1,293
Rockhampton .. .. .	1,559	1,321	1,293	1,299	1,312	1,325
Charters Towers .. .. .	1,539	1,285	1,260	1,252	1,272	1,286
Warwick .. .. .	1,495	1,227	1,214	1,220	1,224	1,234
Weighted Average—Queensland	1,603	1,316	1,304	1,311	1,315	1,322
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA—</b>						
Adelaide .. .. .	1,755	1,325	1,322	1,335	1,333	1,342
Kadina, &c. .. .. .	1,506	1,203	1,190	1,193	1,204	1,216
Port Pirie .. .. .	1,621	1,272	1,260	1,262	1,274	1,289
Mount Gambler .. .. .	1,466	1,225	1,219	1,218	1,224	1,232
Peterborough .. .. .	1,749	1,395	1,392	1,392	1,398	1,408
Weighted Average—South Australia	1,736	1,318	1,313	1,325	1,325	1,334
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA—</b>						
Perth, &c. .. .. .	1,678	1,335	1,317	1,339	1,340	1,354
Kalgoorlie, &c. .. .. .	1,579	1,431	1,420	1,434	1,432	1,438
Northam .. .. .	1,633	1,320	1,302	1,312	1,320	1,334
Bunbury .. .. .	1,586	1,354	1,325	1,341	1,348	1,356
Geraldton .. .. .	1,629	1,350	1,317	1,319	1,345	1,372
Weighted Average—Western Australia	1,663	1,345	1,327	1,349	1,349	1,363
<b>TASMANIA—</b>						
Hobart .. .. .	1,740	1,448	1,422	1,430	1,441	1,454
Launceston .. .. .	1,668	1,414	1,401	1,411	1,413	1,422
Burnie .. .. .	1,669	1,375	1,348	1,349	1,366	1,381
Devonport .. .. .	1,635	1,357	1,331	1,333	1,346	1,361
Queenstown .. .. .	1,520	1,364	1,348	1,362	1,360	1,362
Weighted Average—Tasmania	1,704	1,427	1,405	1,414	1,422	1,434
Weighted Average—30 Towns	1,803	1,425	1,404	1,411	1,423	1,437
Weighted Average—6 Capitals	1,825	1,433	1,413	1,420	1,431	1,446

NOTE.—The "Powers' 3s." may be varied for each town in the ratio of its Base Index No. (4th Quarter, 1929 = 3s.) to that of the period affected.



## THE "HARVESTER—ALL ITEMS" INDEX—"D" SERIES).

The following Table represents the Equivalent "Harvester" Index Numbers for the Towns and Combinations of Towns and States shown, derived by applying the variations of the "All Items" Index Numbers ("C" Series—page 74) to the "All Houses" base Index Numbers ("A" Series), in accordance with the Award of the Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration delivered 5th May, 1932, and may be used for the adjustment of all wages covered by that Award.

These Index Numbers will be known as the "Harvester—All Items" ("D" Series) to distinguish them from the ordinary "Harvester" Index Numbers ("A" Series), published on pages 75 and 76 of the "Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics."

Base.—Relevant "Harvester" Index Number ("A" Series) for each Town or Combination of Towns affected for 4th Quarter, 1929.

## (2) COMBINATIONS OF TOWNS, ETC.

Combination.	1929.	1932.	1933.		Year ended—	
	4th Quarter (Base).	4th Quarter.	1st Quarter.	2nd Quarter.	2nd Quarter, 1933.	1st Quarter, 1933.
<b>1. CAPITAL CITIES.</b>						
1. S.M.B.A.P.H. (Six Capitals) ..	1,825	1,433	1,413	1,420	1,431	1,446
2. S.M.B.A.—H. ..	1,835	1,441	1,421	1,426	1,439	1,454
3. S.M.B.—H. ..	1,845	1,457	1,434	1,439	1,453	1,469
4. S.M.—A.P.H. ..	1,844	1,444	1,423	1,430	1,443	1,458
5. S.M.—A.P.— ..	1,847	1,445	1,424	1,431	1,444	1,459
6. S.M.—A.—H. ..	1,857	1,452	1,431	1,438	1,450	1,465
7. S.M.—A.— ..	1,860	1,453	1,431	1,437	1,451	1,466
8. S.M.— ..	1,877	1,474	1,450	1,454	1,470	1,487
9. S.—B. ..	1,871	1,482	1,463	1,465	1,480	1,496
10. —M.B.A.P.H. ..	1,759	1,380	1,361	1,373	1,379	1,392
11. —M.—A.P.H. ..	1,782	1,388	1,369	1,381	1,388	1,401
12. —M.—A.—H. ..	1,797	1,396	1,376	1,387	1,395	1,409
13. —M.—A.— ..	1,800	1,393	1,374	1,386	1,393	1,406
14. —A.—H. ..	1,752	1,344	1,337	1,351	1,350	1,359
<b>2. COUNTRY TOWNS.</b>						
1. New South Wales—4 Towns ..	1,779	1,421	1,406	1,409	1,422	1,436
2. Victoria—4 Towns ..	1,682	1,355	1,336	1,343	1,352	1,364
3. Queensland—4 Towns ..	1,532	1,293	1,274	1,276	1,287	1,299
4. South Australia—4 Towns ..	1,560	1,245	1,236	1,237	1,247	1,260
5. Western Australia—4 Towns ..	1,593	1,397	1,380	1,393	1,396	1,406
6. Tasmania—4 Towns ..	1,650	1,399	1,382	1,392	1,396	1,405
7. N.V.Q.S.W.T.—24 Towns ..	1,673	1,369	1,352	1,357	1,367	1,379
8. N.V.—S.W.T.—20 Towns ..	1,698	1,382	1,365	1,371	1,381	1,393
9. N.V.Q.S.—16 Towns ..	1,683	1,361	1,346	1,349	1,360	1,373
10. N.V.—S.—T.—16 Towns ..	1,709	1,378	1,362	1,367	1,352	1,390
11. N.V.—W.T.—16 Towns ..	1,711	1,393	1,376	1,383	1,392	1,404
12. N.V.—S.—12 Towns ..	1,717	1,375	1,360	1,365	1,375	1,388
13. Broken Hill—Goulburn—Bathurst ..	1,798	1,435	1,412	1,417	1,433	1,447
<b>3. WHOLE STATES.</b>						
1. N.V.Q.S.W.T.—30 Towns ..	1,803	1,425	1,404	1,411	1,423	1,437
2. N.V.Q.S.—T. ..	1,813	1,430	1,410	1,415	1,427	1,442
3. N.V.—S.W.T. ..	1,825	1,436	1,417	1,422	1,435	1,450
4. N.V.—S.W.— ..	1,829	1,436	1,417	1,422	1,435	1,451
5. N.V.—S.—T. ..	1,838	1,443	1,424	1,427	1,441	1,457
6. N.V.—S.— ..	1,843	1,444	1,425	1,428	1,443	1,458
7. N.V.—W.T. ..	1,836	1,452	1,429	1,434	1,449	1,465
8. N.V.— ..	1,859	1,464	1,441	1,445	1,461	1,477
9. —V.—S.W.T. ..	1,762	1,384	1,365	1,377	1,384	1,397
10. —V.—S.W.— ..	1,767	1,381	1,364	1,374	1,382	1,395
11. —V.—S.—T. ..	1,778	1,389	1,369	1,380	1,388	1,401
12. —V.—S.— ..	1,784	1,387	1,368	1,377	1,386	1,399
13. —V.—T. ..	1,790	1,410	1,387	1,396	1,407	1,421

NOTE.—The "Powers' 3s." may be varied for each town in the ratio of its Base Index No. (4th Quarter, 1929=3s.) to that of the period affected.

**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES RULING IN EACH OF THE FIVE PRINCIPAL TOWNS IN NEW SOUTH WALES ON THE 15th OF THE MONTHS SPECIFIED FOR THE YEAR 1933; ALSO THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSE RENTS—QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

Article.	Unit.	SYDNEY.			NEWCASTLE.			BROKEN HILL.			GOULBURN.			BATHURST.		
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
Groceries, &c.—																
Bread ..	2 lb.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Flour, ordinary ..	25 "	5.25	5.25	5.08	4.93	4.93	4.93	5.43	5.43	5.43	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
" self-raising ..	2 "	43.95	44.00	43.40	44.64	44.93	44.57	42.86	43.71	43.29	47.60	46.00	42.60	45.40	45.80	43.80
Tea ..	1 "	6.40	6.40	6.35	6.57	6.50	6.43	7.14	6.93	7.14	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.60	7.60	7.50
Sugar ..	1 "	24.05	25.25	25.90	24.86	25.64	26.71	26.71	28.43	28.86	24.60	24.40	25.20	25.80	27.00	28.80
Rice ..	1 "	4.03	4.03	4.03	4.39	4.39	4.46	4.86	4.82	4.82	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Sago ..	1 "	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.57	3.57	3.64	4.14	4.14	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.80	3.80	3.80
Jam, apricot ..	1 "	3.05	3.00	3.00	3.43	3.36	3.36	4.14	4.07	3.86	3.80	3.80	3.50	3.80	3.90	3.90
Golden Syrup ..	14 "	9.95	9.90	9.85	10.50	10.36	10.50	10.64	10.50	10.50	10.90	10.90	11.00	12.20	12.00	11.60
Oatmeal ..	2 "	6.85	6.85	6.75	7.71	7.71	7.71	9.79	9.79	9.79	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.00	8.10	7.90
Raisins, seeded ..	1 "	2.65	2.69	2.67	3.08	3.11	3.02	3.17	3.27	3.17	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.29	3.14	3.14
Currants ..	1 "	9.47	9.40	9.47	9.00	9.00	8.71	10.79	10.64	10.64	9.10	9.00	9.00	9.60	9.40	9.60
Apricots, dried ..	1 "	8.45	8.45	8.50	8.71	8.79	8.79	9.43	9.43	9.43	8.80	8.80	8.80	8.90	8.70	8.80
Peaches, canned ..	1 "	12.60	12.75	12.40	14.25	14.08	13.33	14.29	13.71	13.57	13.40	13.40	13.20	13.50	13.75	13.87
Pears, canned ..	2 "	10.70	9.80	9.25	11.43	10.71	10.00	12.50	11.71	11.50	12.00	10.50	9.80	11.90	11.70	10.90
Salmon, in tins ..	2 "	11.30	10.65	10.10	11.93	11.00	10.43	12.57	12.00	11.79	12.80	12.60	12.00	12.80	12.60	11.90
Potatoes ..	1 "	16.20	16.10	16.30	18.36	18.21	18.14	12.50	12.36	12.36	16.40	16.20	16.20	15.80	15.80	15.80
Onions ..	14 "	15.85	14.65	14.50	16.33	15.92	15.07	14.50	13.86	12.80	13.20	12.30	12.00	14.70	14.10	12.75
Soap, household ..	1 "	1.30	1.35	1.25	1.58	1.50	1.36	1.71	1.57	1.57	2.10	1.90	1.90	1.70	2.10	1.80
Candles ..	1 "	4.19	4.27	4.25	4.50	4.50	4.54	5.39	5.39	5.35	4.77	4.77	4.77	5.32	5.32	5.27
Kerosene ..	1 gal.	11.25	11.25	11.25	12.14	11.93	11.79	12.86	12.86	12.71	12.40	12.40	12.40	11.40	11.40	11.40
Dairy Produce—		21.28	21.28	21.10	24.86	24.86	23.86	29.21	28.79	28.79	27.84	26.78	27.70	25.25	26.00	26.00
Milk, fresh ..	1 quart	7.15	7.15	7.00	6.29	6.43	6.43	6.00	6.00	6.00	4.90	4.90	4.90	6.00	6.00	6.00
Butter, factory ..	1 lb.	16.60	16.60	16.85	16.83	17.00	17.14	16.57	17.88	18.29	16.90	16.50	16.80	18.10	18.00	18.10
Cheese, mild ..	1 "	11.45	10.95	10.55	11.71	11.79	11.29	12.57	12.43	12.29	12.60	12.20	12.20	13.25	13.00	13.00
Milk, condensed ..	1 tin	8.75	8.75	8.30	8.93	8.93	8.79	10.21	10.36	10.07	9.60	9.60	9.60	9.70	9.70	9.60
Eggs, fresh ..	1 doz.	20.10	15.60	13.00	18.42	15.43	12.29	14.86	13.21	11.71	18.00	14.00	9.80	19.20	14.40	10.80
Bacon, rashers ..	1 lb.	12.10	12.80	12.90	12.36	12.64	13.21	13.29	14.29	14.29	12.40	12.40	13.40	13.25	14.00	14.50
Ham, uncooked ..	1 "	16.28	16.50	16.28	15.33	16.00	16.25	16.29	17.00	17.00	15.00	15.33	15.67	16.00	16.50	16.50
Meat—																
Beef, sirloin ..	1 lb.	8.70	9.30	9.20	8.00	8.43	8.43	9.00	9.00	8.86	7.80	8.20	7.80	6.60	6.80	7.00
" ribs ..	1 "	6.20	6.85	6.85	5.64	6.00	6.29	6.86	6.86	6.86	6.10	6.40	6.20	5.60	5.80	6.00
" steak, rump ..	1 "	12.50	12.95	12.90	10.93	11.21	11.36	14.86	14.86	14.86	10.80	10.60	11.00	9.80	10.80	11.20
" stewing ..	1 "	5.35	5.75	5.70	5.29	5.57	5.71	7.71	7.71	7.71	5.20	5.60	5.40	5.00	5.40	5.60
" sausages ..	1 "	5.10	5.25	5.25	5.93	6.07	6.07	4.57	4.57	4.57	5.60	5.80	5.60	5.80	5.80	5.80
Beef, corned round ..	1 "	7.15	7.25	7.15	7.00	7.43	7.43	9.71	9.71	9.71	7.00	7.40	7.20	6.00	6.40	6.60
" brisket ..	1 "															
" with bone ..	1 "	3.50	3.75	3.80	3.14	3.50	3.64	4.67	4.33	4.33	4.30	4.50	4.60	3.90	4.20	4.60
Mutton, leg ..	1 "	5.55	5.70	5.85	6.43	6.93	7.07	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.20	6.40	6.60	5.40	5.80	5.80
" shoulder ..	1 "	4.05	4.45	4.55	4.50	4.79	5.00	5.14	5.14	5.14	4.90	5.10	5.10	3.80	4.20	4.10
" loin ..	1 "	5.85	6.30	6.45	5.93	6.43	6.57	6.57	6.57	6.57	6.40	7.00	6.80	5.60	6.00	6.00
" chops, loin ..	1 "	6.65	7.15	7.30	6.50	7.00	7.14	8.14	8.14	8.14	7.00	7.40	7.20	5.60	6.20	6.40
" " leg ..	1 "	6.20	6.60	6.70	6.36	6.86	7.00	8.57	8.57	8.57	6.00	6.20	6.20	5.60	6.00	6.00
Pork, leg ..	1 "	9.75	10.10	9.90	9.64	10.07	10.29	10.57	10.29	10.29	8.80	9.20	9.20	8.00	8.40	8.40
" loin ..	1 "	10.20	10.55	10.40	9.64	10.07	10.29	10.57	10.29	10.29	9.00	9.20	9.20	8.00	8.40	8.40
" chops ..	1 "	9.70	10.20	10.10	9.64	10.07	10.36	12.43	12.29	12.14	9.40	9.80	9.60	8.20	8.60	8.60
" sausages ..	1 "	7.89	7.81	8.13	7.71	7.86	7.93	7.67	7.67	7.71	8.67	8.67	8.67	7.50	7.50	7.50
House Rents .. { 4 and 5 rooms All houses																
		..	227.33	..	..	205.42	..	..	166.53	..	..	214.38	..	..	206.68	..
		..	273.28	..	..	223.62	..	..	168.50	..	..	257.15	..	..	207.49	..

**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES RULING IN EACH OF THE FIVE PRINCIPAL TOWNS IN VICTORIA ON THE 15th OF THE MONTHS SPECIFIED  
FOR THE YEAR 1933; ALSO THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSE RENTS—QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

Articles.	Unit.	MELBOURNE.			BALLARAT.			BENDIGO.			GERLONG.			WARRNAMBOOL.		
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
Groceries, &c.—																
Bread ..	2 lb.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Flour, ordinary ..	25 "	3. 67	3. 67	3. 67	4. 50	4. 50	4. 50	3. 93	4. 43	4. 43	4. 50	4. 50	4. 50	4. 50	5. 00	5. 00
" self raising ..	2 "	34. 45	34. 90	33. 35	30. 43	31. 64	29. 79	34. 07	34. 29	32. 86	31. 20	33. 00	30. 60	31. 80	31. 80	31. 80
Tea ..	1 "	5. 90	5. 90	5. 90	6. 07	6. 07	5. 86	5. 50	5. 50	5. 50	5. 60	5. 60	5. 50	6. 70	6. 70	6. 70
Sugar ..	1 "	23. 60	24. 55	25. 40	23. 00	23. 64	24. 50	23. 43	25. 57	26. 00	23. 20	24. 00	24. 60	24. 00	25. 60	26. 20
Rice ..	1 "	3. 95	3. 88	3. 80	4. 39	4. 33	4. 39	4. 50	4. 50	4. 50	4. 00	4. 00	4. 00	4. 30	4. 30	4. 30
Sago ..	1 "	3. 28	3. 23	3. 18	3. 36	3. 29	3. 43	3. 32	3. 32	3. 32	3. 25	3. 25	3. 25	3. 60	3. 60	3. 50
Jam, apricot ..	1 1/2 "	2. 78	2. 78	2. 78	2. 79	2. 71	2. 79	3. 14	3. 14	3. 14	2. 60	2. 60	2. 60	3. 00	3. 00	3. 00
Golden Syrup ..	2 "	8. 35	8. 50	8. 50	9. 36	8. 93	9. 00	8. 50	8. 21	8. 36	8. 60	8. 60	8. 50	9. 60	9. 30	8. 90
Oatmeal ..	1 "	6. 90	6. 95	6. 85	7. 29	7. 36	7. 29	7. 29	6. 93	6. 79	6. 70	6. 70	7. 00	7. 60	7. 60	7. 60
Raisins, seeded ..	1 "	2. 34	2. 34	2. 36	2. 43	2. 45	2. 57	2. 86	2. 86	2. 86	2. 28	2. 38	2. 43	2. 62	2. 62	2. 72
Currants ..	1 "	9. 20	9. 05	9. 05	9. 21	9. 21	9. 14	9. 48	9. 50	9. 50	9. 00	9. 00	9. 00	9. 30	9. 30	9. 10
Apricots, dried ..	1 "	8. 10	8. 15	8. 15	8. 07	8. 07	8. 00	7. 71	7. 64	7. 64	8. 20	8. 20	8. 10	8. 50	8. 50	8. 50
Peaches, canned ..	2 "	13. 45	13. 05	12. 75	12. 86	12. 43	12. 14	12. 64	12. 58	11. 36	13. 00	12. 70	12. 70	14. 60	14. 40	13. 60
Pears, canned ..	2 "	10. 35	9. 25	8. 75	10. 79	9. 79	9. 29	10. 93	10. 29	9. 00	11. 10	9. 30	9. 00	11. 90	10. 50	8. 30
Salmon, in tins ..	1 "	10. 60	9. 85	9. 70	10. 93	10. 50	9. 93	11. 43	11. 07	10. 00	11. 30	10. 20	9. 80	12. 10	11. 00	9. 30
Potatoes ..	14 "	16. 65	16. 35	16. 35	14. 64	14. 00	13. 50	13. 36	13. 36	13. 36	13. 50	13. 50	13. 50	15. 00	15. 00	15. 00
Onions ..	1 "	9. 69	7. 88	6. 94	7. 64	7. 07	6. 21	9. 00	9. 00	8. 58	7. 60	7. 50	5. 70	7. 20	6. 90	6. 00
Soap, household ..	1 "	0. 78	0. 74	0. 77	0. 86	0. 95	0. 99	0. 84	0. 87	0. 82	0. 59	0. 61	0. 51	0. 49	0. 49	0. 49
Candles ..	1 "	4. 80	4. 80	4. 81	5. 14	5. 07	5. 14	5. 11	5. 06	5. 06	4. 10	4. 10	4. 10	5. 40	5. 40	5. 40
Kerosene ..	1 gal.	11. 00	11. 00	11. 00	11. 36	11. 65	11. 57	11. 79	11. 79	11. 79	11. 30	11. 10	11. 10	10. 60	10. 60	10. 60
Dairy Produce—																
Milk, fresh ..	1 quart	22. 68	22. 68	21. 84	25. 71	25. 29	24. 43	27. 00	27. 00	26. 14	23. 00	22. 52	22. 38	25. 50	25. 50	25. 40
Butter, factory ..	1 lb.	5. 80	5. 75	5. 70	6. 07	6. 07	6. 07	4. 93	4. 93	4. 93	6. 00	6. 00	6. 00	4. 20	4. 20	4. 20
Cheese, mild ..	1 "	14. 65	15. 55	16. 75	14. 71	15. 21	16. 57	15. 00	15. 50	16. 57	14. 70	15. 50	16. 60	16. 00	17. 00	18. 00
Milk, condensed ..	1 tin	11. 05	11. 20	10. 56	9. 79	9. 00	9. 21	9. 79	9. 64	9. 64	9. 80	9. 40	9. 30	10. 00	10. 40	10. 30
Eggs, fresh ..	1 doz.	9. 25	9. 20	9. 00	9. 43	9. 50	9. 29	9. 86	9. 86	9. 79	9. 60	9. 60	9. 30	10. 60	10. 60	10. 10
Bacon, rashers ..	1 lb.	14. 50	14. 60	11. 45	12. 57	11. 36	9. 93	11. 86	10. 86	9. 29	12. 00	11. 80	9. 50	14. 20	9. 60	8. 90
Ham, uncooked ..	1 "	13. 90	15. 55	15. 65	12. 50	14. 36	14. 71	12. 50	14. 14	14. 07	12. 20	14. 20	14. 10	13. 40	16. 20	16. 20
Meat—																
Beef, sirloin ..	1 "	14. 69	16. 19	16. 19	15. 17	15. 33	15. 50	13. 25	14. 25	14. 00	14. 80	16. 20	16. 20	14. 00	15. 75	15. 75
" ribs ..	1 "	8. 15	8. 80	9. 20	8. 21	9. 21	9. 21	8. 21	8. 43	8. 43	7. 90	9. 00	9. 20	7. 80	8. 40	8. 60
" steak, rump ..	1 "	6. 65	6. 90	7. 40	6. 64	7. 79	7. 79	6. 79	7. 29	7. 29	6. 70	7. 60	7. 80	6. 40	7. 40	7. 40
" stewing ..	1 "	12. 40	13. 20	13. 60	12. 43	13. 14	13. 14	12. 29	12. 71	12. 57	12. 80	13. 40	13. 80	12. 20	13. 20	13. 40
" sausages ..	1 "	5. 70	6. 05	6. 40	5. 57	6. 43	6. 43	6. 57	6. 86	6. 86	6. 40	7. 20	7. 40	6. 60	7. 00	7. 20
Beef, corned round ..	1 "	5. 10	5. 15	5. 40	5. 00	5. 57	5. 57	5. 57	5. 43	5. 57	5. 75	6. 25	6. 00	5. 20	5. 40	5. 60
" " with brisket ..	1 "	7. 05	7. 45	7. 90	8. 21	8. 71	8. 57	7. 57	7. 79	7. 93	7. 80	8. 60	8. 80	8. 20	8. 40	8. 60
Mutton, leg ..	1 "	3. 70	3. 93	3. 98	3. 93	4. 36	4. 36	4. 43	4. 86	4. 86	4. 80	5. 60	5. 60	5. 60	6. 00	6. 40
" shoulder ..	1 "	5. 70	6. 15	6. 50	5. 00	5. 86	6. 14	5. 71	6. 29	6. 43	6. 00	6. 90	7. 10	6. 40	7. 20	7. 60
" loin ..	1 "	3. 50	3. 70	4. 05	3. 79	4. 43	4. 57	3. 86	4. 29	4. 43	4. 60	5. 20	5. 40	4. 40	5. 00	5. 00
" chops, loin ..	1 "	5. 45	5. 75	5. 20	4. 64	5. 21	5. 21	5. 29	5. 71	5. 86	6. 00	6. 80	7. 00	6. 40	7. 00	7. 00
" " leg ..	1 "	6. 40	6. 55	6. 85	5. 86	6. 43	6. 43	7. 43	7. 43	7. 43	6. 80	7. 40	7. 60	7. 60	8. 00	8. 00
Pork, leg ..	1 "	6. 30	6. 60	6. 90	6. 86	7. 57	7. 71	7. 29	7. 57	7. 57	6. 60	7. 20	7. 40	7. 40	7. 80	8. 00
" loin ..	1 "	8. 95	9. 20	9. 25	8. 29	8. 86	8. 86	8. 17	8. 50	8. 50	9. 40	9. 20	9. 40	8. 40	8. 80	8. 60
" chops ..	1 "	9. 10	9. 50	9. 70	8. 14	8. 71	8. 71	8. 17	8. 67	8. 33	9. 40	9. 60	9. 80	8. 60	9. 00	8. 80
" sausages ..	1 "	9. 70	10. 00	9. 90	8. 57	9. 14	9. 14	9. 00	9. 17	9. 00	10. 00	10. 20	10. 40	9. 20	9. 40	9. 40
House Rents ..																
4 and 5 rooms		..	210.81	..	..	167.16	..	..	168.61	..	..	190.43	..	..	210.83	..
All houses		..	260.52	..	..	232.76	..	..	201.30	..	..	253.66	..	..	261.71	..



**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES RULING IN EACH OF THE FIVE PRINCIPAL TOWNS IN QUEENSLAND ON THE 15th OF THE MONTHS SPECIFIED FOR THE YEAR 1933 ; ALSO THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSE RENTS—QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

Article.	Unit.	BRISBANE.			TOOWOOMBA.			ROCKHAMPTON.			CHARTERS TOWNS.			WARWICK.		
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
<b>Groceries, &amp;c.—</b>		<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Bread ..	2 lb.	4.46	4.41	4.41	4.75	4.75	4.75	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.75	4.75	4.75
Flour, ordinary ..	25 "	39.41	39.41	39.41	45.00	44.64	44.64	48.86	48.86	48.86	53.40	53.40	53.40	42.00	42.00	42.00
" self-raising ..	2 "	6.41	6.36	6.41	6.86	6.86	6.86	8.86	8.86	8.43	9.10	9.10	9.10	8.00	8.00	8.00
Tea ..	1 "	23.09	24.23	25.18	24.36	25.50	25.93	25.43	26.71	26.86	22.80	22.80	23.20	21.00	24.00	24.00
Sugar ..	1 "	3.98	3.98	3.98	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.18	4.18	4.18	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Rice ..	1 "	3.32	3.27	3.27	3.36	3.43	3.43	3.46	3.39	3.46	3.83	3.83	3.83	3.50	3.50	3.50
Sago ..	1 "	2.80	2.83	2.90	2.77	2.76	2.76	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.64	3.64	3.70	3.50	3.50	3.50
Jam, apricot ..	1 1/2 "	9.82	9.79	9.89	9.75	9.75	9.75	10.66	10.55	10.55	12.30	12.30	12.30	12.00	12.00	12.00
Golden Syrup ..	2 "	6.91	6.91	7.00	7.50	7.29	7.36	7.64	7.64	7.64	9.00	9.00	9.00	8.10	7.50	7.50
Oatmeal ..	1 "	2.51	2.62	2.62	2.88	2.86	2.86	2.77	2.93	2.93	3.49	3.82	3.76	3.50	3.50	3.50
Raisins, seeded ..	1 "	10.09	10.18	10.14	10.50	10.50	10.43	11.00	11.00	10.93	10.80	10.80	10.80	11.00	11.00	11.00
Currants ..	1 "	8.73	8.77	8.68	8.79	8.86	8.71	9.07	9.21	9.21	9.70	9.70	9.70	8.20	9.50	9.50
Apricots, dried ..	1 "	14.14	14.14	13.27	12.71	13.29	12.80	15.43	15.43	15.43	15.40	15.20	15.20	15.00	14.00	14.00
Peaches, canned ..	2 "	10.95	10.68	8.68	11.64	10.00	9.14	11.71	10.64	9.86	13.40	13.20	13.20	15.00	14.00	14.00
Pears, canned ..	2 "	11.08	10.55	9.50	12.00	10.86	9.93	12.07	11.64	10.64	13.70	13.50	13.50	15.00	14.00	14.00
Salmon, in tins ..	1 "	14.09	13.86	13.00	11.14	11.07	10.93	10.71	10.14	9.50	17.60	17.40	17.40	12.00	12.00	12.00
Potatoes ..	14 "	15.45	14.73	13.18	14.29	14.86	13.86	19.00	18.00	15.86	22.20	21.80	21.40	18.00	18.00	18.00
Onions ..	1 "	1.20	1.06	1.01	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.42	1.35	1.19	1.36	1.28	1.28	1.50	1.50	1.50
Soap, household ..	1 "	3.23	3.18	3.30	3.36	3.32	3.32	3.07	3.07	3.07	3.73	3.73	3.73	3.50	3.50	3.50
Candles ..	1 "	10.59	10.45	10.55	10.21	10.36	10.36	11.50	11.50	11.36	11.20	11.20	11.20	12.00	12.00	12.00
Kerosene ..	1 gal.	18.14	18.18	17.91	21.14	21.29	20.86	23.79	23.79	23.79	25.20	26.40	26.40	22.00	22.00	22.00
<b>Dairy Produce—</b>																
Milk, fresh ..	1 quart	5.95	5.95	5.85	5.57	5.57	5.57	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.20	5.20	5.20
Butter, factory ..	1 lb.	14.95	15.64	16.50	16.57	16.29	16.93	17.00	16.50	17.29	18.50	17.50	19.40	18.00	17.50	18.50
Cheese, mild ..	1 "	11.55	11.09	10.91	11.50	11.36	11.00	12.64	12.29	11.43	13.00	13.00	12.60	14.00	14.00	14.00
Milk, condensed ..	1 tin	9.32	9.32	9.32	9.57	9.50	9.43	10.07	10.07	9.93	9.63	9.63	9.50	9.00	9.20	9.00
Eggs, fresh ..	1 doz.	16.64	12.73	12.00	15.29	10.07	7.14	20.71	12.00	9.57	18.60	15.60	12.00	16.00	9.00	8.00
Bacon, rashers ..	1 lb.	10.77	11.18	12.18	9.79	11.14	11.86	11.71	12.14	11.79	14.00	14.40	14.40	10.00	10.00	12.00
Ham, uncooked ..	1 "	16.00	16.00	17.00	15.33	15.33	15.33	15.50	16.25	16.38	19.00	19.00	18.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
<b>Meat—</b>																
Beef, sirloin ..	1 "	6.50	6.65	6.70	4.43	4.64	4.86	6.29	6.14	6.14	7.00	7.00	7.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
" ribs ..	1 "	4.45	4.55	4.55	3.50	3.50	3.57	4.00	4.14	4.21	3.50	3.50	3.50	4.40	4.40	4.40
" steak, rump ..	1 "	8.85	9.00	9.15	6.43	6.71	6.86	8.14	8.14	8.14	9.00	9.00	9.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
" stewing ..	1 "	3.90	3.95	4.05	2.71	3.14	3.00	3.14	3.14	3.14	3.40	3.20	3.20	3.00	3.00	3.00
" sausages ..	1 "	4.90	4.85	4.90	4.00	4.14	4.14	5.71	5.86	5.86	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.30	4.30	4.30
Beef, corned round ..	1 "	5.78	5.80	5.80	4.07	4.29	4.36	5.07	5.07	5.36	5.20	5.10	5.10	5.80	5.80	5.80
" brisket ..	1 "															
" with bone ..	1 "	2.58	2.68	2.80	2.57	2.71	2.86	3.25	3.17	3.17	3.50	3.50	3.50	4.00	4.00	4.00
Mutton, leg ..	1 "	5.30	5.80	5.98	3.93	4.79	5.00	5.07	5.36	5.50	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
" shoulder ..	1 "	3.10	3.65	3.80	2.00	2.79	2.86	3.36	3.57	3.71	3.50	3.50	3.50	4.00	4.00	4.00
" loin ..	1 "	4.95	5.50	5.63	3.93	5.00	5.29	5.21	5.36	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.00	5.00	5.00
" chops, loin ..	1 "	5.15	5.75	5.83	3.86	5.29	5.14	5.86	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
" leg ..	1 "	5.45	6.05	6.18	4.21	5.29	5.43	5.86	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	4.60
Pork, leg ..	1 "	8.10	8.20	8.30	7.00	7.21	7.36	9.86	9.86	10.00	9.80	9.80	9.80	8.00	8.00	8.00
" loin ..	1 "	8.00	8.10	8.20	6.64	6.86	7.14	9.71	9.71	9.86	9.80	9.80	9.80	8.00	8.00	8.00
" chops ..	1 "	8.25	8.30	8.35	7.21	7.43	7.71	10.00	10.29	10.29	9.80	9.80	9.80	8.00	8.00	8.00
" sausages ..	1 "	6.00	5.86	5.86	6.25	6.08	6.25	8.17	8.17	8.17	9.20	9.20	9.20	6.00	6.00	6.00
<b>House Rents</b>	{ 4 and 5 rooms All houses	..	180.19	..	..	188.08	..	..	152.41	..	..	135.81	..	..	158.17	..
		..	217.68	..	..	221.65	..	..	191.27	..	..	135.49	..	..	189.93	..



**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES RULING IN EACH OF THE FIVE PRINCIPAL TOWNS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA ON THE 15th OF THE MONTHS SPECIFIED FOR THE YEAR 1933 ; ALSO THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSE RENTS—QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

Article.	Unit.	ADELAIDE.			KADINA, ETC.			PORT PIKE.			MT. GAMBIER.			PETERBOROUGH.		
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
		d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Groceries, &c.—																
Bread ..	2 lb.	4.00	4.45	4.00	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.00	4.50	4.17	4.50	5.00	4.50	4.00	4.50	4.50
Flour, ordinary ..	25 "	34.70	34.95	34.60	34.00	33.57	32.57	40.17	40.17	40.17	38.40	40.80	38.60	39.40	40.00	38.20
" self-raising ..	2 "	4.75	4.75	4.80	6.29	6.43	6.36	6.26	6.64	6.38	5.90	6.00	6.00	6.40	6.40	6.30
Tea ..	1 "	22.80	24.20	25.30	24.86	26.14	26.57	25.00	26.86	27.43	26.60	28.60	29.20	26.40	27.60	28.80
Sugar ..	1 "	3.93	3.93	3.93	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.28	4.28	4.32	4.28	4.28	4.28	4.20	4.20	4.15
Rice ..	1 "	3.10	3.10	3.10	3.93	3.93	3.93	4.07	3.86	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.90	3.90	3.90
Sago ..	1 "	2.60	2.65	2.70	3.64	3.64	3.71	3.43	3.43	3.50	3.40	3.40	3.40	3.20	3.30	3.30
Jam, apricot ..	1 1/2 "	9.10	8.60	8.50	11.21	11.07	10.86	10.43	10.00	10.00	11.20	11.00	10.60	11.10	10.90	10.90
Golden Syrup ..	2 "	6.50	6.50	6.50	8.79	8.57	8.50	8.86	8.86	8.71	9.20	9.20	9.20	8.70	8.90	8.70
Oatmeal ..	1 "	2.14	2.12	2.12	3.08	3.01	3.01	3.07	3.00	3.00	2.77	2.83	2.71	2.81	3.00	3.10
Raisins, seeded ..	1 "	7.00	6.90	6.90	9.50	9.64	9.64	8.58	8.50	8.25	10.00	10.00	10.00	8.80	8.70	8.60
Currants ..	1 "	7.55	7.55	7.50	8.71	8.93	8.79	8.79	8.79	8.71	9.00	9.00	9.00	8.20	8.20	8.30
Apricots, dried ..	1 "	12.05	11.85	11.80	13.57	13.43	13.86	13.25	13.50	13.50	13.20	13.20	13.00	13.60	13.60	13.60
Peaches, canned ..	2 "	10.20	9.85	9.85	12.57	12.43	12.43	12.00	11.71	11.29	12.20	11.40	11.40	12.00	12.00	11.80
Pears, canned ..	2 "	10.15	10.00	9.85	12.57	12.43	12.43	12.43	12.29	12.14	12.20	11.40	11.40	12.20	12.20	12.00
Salmon, in tins ..	1 "	12.45	12.40	12.30	13.29	13.14	13.29	12.29	12.14	12.14	14.40	14.40	14.40	14.20	14.00	13.80
Potatoes ..	14 "	11.00	10.75	9.92	15.50	14.17	13.17	12.79	12.43	12.14	9.60	9.60	9.00	15.00	15.00	14.40
Onions ..	1 "	0.96	0.98	1.00	1.67	1.58	1.58	1.36	1.36	1.21	0.97	0.97	1.05	1.40	1.40	1.30
Soap, household ..	1 "	4.04	4.04	4.04	3.75	3.71	3.71	4.31	4.31	4.36	4.96	5.16	5.16	5.40	5.35	5.40
Candles ..	1 "	10.65	10.55	10.55	12.29	12.14	12.29	12.14	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.80	13.00	13.20
Kerosene ..	1 gal.	19.36	19.36	18.15	24.63	24.23	23.24	24.57	24.57	24.14	24.80	24.60	24.60	22.86	23.61	23.46
Dairy Produce—																
Milk, fresh ..	1 quart	5.90	5.90	5.90	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.64	5.64	5.64	5.40	5.30	5.40	6.00	6.00	6.00
Butter, factory ..	1 lb.	14.20	16.05	16.45	15.67	16.50	17.42	15.29	16.43	17.38	15.80	16.80	17.60	15.60	16.70	18.00
Cheese, mild ..	1 "	9.35	9.20	9.10	12.00	12.00	12.14	12.17	12.17	12.17	12.00	12.20	11.40	11.80	11.60	11.60
Milk, condensed ..	1 tin	9.10	9.10	9.10	10.93	10.93	10.93	9.93	9.93	9.86	12.00	12.00	12.00	10.90	11.10	10.90
Eggs, fresh ..	1 doz.	12.60	11.25	9.90	10.33	8.42	7.17	11.67	10.00	7.36	10.20	9.40	7.40	10.60	9.80	7.40
Bacon, rashers ..	1 lb.	12.00	13.70	13.90	12.92	13.67	14.00	13.17	13.50	13.50	12.80	13.40	14.00	12.80	13.20	13.80
Ham, uncooked ..	1 "	15.06	15.88	15.75	14.50	15.50	15.50	14.50	15.00	15.50	13.50	13.00	13.50	16.33	16.67	17.33
Meat—																
Beef, sirloin ..	1 "	7.80	7.85	7.95	8.29	8.29	8.29	6.71	6.71	6.71	7.00	7.00	7.00	6.50	6.50	6.50
" ribs ..	1 "	5.95	6.10	6.25	7.71	7.43	7.43	5.86	5.86	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
" steak, rump ..	1 "	12.00	12.00	11.80	11.71	11.71	11.71	11.71	11.71	11.71	12.00	12.00	12.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
" stewing ..	1 "	7.30	7.20	7.20	8.86	8.86	8.86	7.43	7.43	7.43	6.00	6.00	6.00	7.25	7.25	7.25
" sausages ..	1 "	4.70	4.70	4.70	5.29	5.29	5.43	5.14	5.00	5.00	4.75	4.75	4.75	5.00	5.00	5.00
Beef, corned round ..	1 "	8.15	8.20	8.15	8.29	8.29	8.29	8.43	8.43	8.43	7.80	8.00	8.00	8.25	8.25	8.25
" " brisket ..	1 "															
" with bone ..	1 "	4.93	5.00	4.86	6.40	6.40	6.40	5.14	5.14	5.14	4.40	4.40	4.40	6.33	6.25	6.25
Mutton, leg ..	1 "	6.35	6.50	6.55	6.57	6.57	6.57	5.43	5.43	5.43	5.00	5.20	5.20	5.75	5.75	5.75
" shoulder ..	1 "	5.35	5.50	5.65	5.14	5.14	5.14	4.14	4.14	4.14	3.90	4.00	4.00	5.25	5.25	5.25
" loin ..	1 "	5.80	5.85	6.05	5.43	5.43	5.43	4.29	4.29	4.29	4.40	4.40	4.50	5.25	5.00	5.00
" chops, loin ..	1 "	7.25	7.05	7.20	7.14	7.14	7.14	5.86	5.86	5.86	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.75	5.75	5.75
" " leg ..	1 "	7.65	7.50	7.90	7.57	7.14	7.14	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.25	6.25	6.25
Pork, leg ..	1 "	8.05	8.30	8.25	7.86	7.86	7.86	6.57	6.71	6.85	6.00	6.10	6.40	7.00	7.00	7.00
" loin ..	1 "	8.20	8.55	8.55	7.71	7.71	7.71	6.29	6.43	6.71	6.40	6.40	6.70	6.00	6.00	6.00
" chops ..	1 "	8.60	8.90	9.00	7.71	7.86	7.86	7.14	7.43	8.00	7.40	7.40	7.70	7.00	7.00	7.00
" sausages ..	1 "	6.80	6.90	6.90	7.50	8.00	8.00	7.00	7.00	7.17	6.25	6.25	6.25	6.50	6.50	6.50
House Rents	4 and 5 rooms	..	183.29	..	..	99.97	..	..	159.17	..	..	161.27	..	..	186.58	..
	All houses	..	214.10	..	..	115.26	..	..	178.17	..	..	171.67	..	..	206.35	..

**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES RULING IN EACH OF THE FIVE PRINCIPAL TOWNS IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA ON THE 15th OF THE MONTHS SPECIFIED FOR THE YEAR 1933; ALSO THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSE RENTS—QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

Article.	Unit.	PERTH AND FREMANTLE.			KALGOORLIE AND BOULDER.			NORTHAM.			BUNBURY.			GERALDTON.		
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
Groceries, &c.—		d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bread ..	2 lb.	3.85	3.85	3.90	4.43	4.50	4.50	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	5.00	5.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
Flour, ordinary ..	25 "	32.65	33.95	34.55	37.29	38.14	38.14	34.67	35.67	35.67	33.60	36.60	36.60	37.80	38.40	38.40
" self-raising ..	2 "	5.95	6.00	6.00	7.86	7.86	7.86	6.75	6.67	6.67	6.50	6.60	6.60	5.77	5.83	5.83
Tea ..	1 "	23.30	24.85	26.05	26.57	27.57	28.29	25.00	25.50	26.83	25.20	26.40	27.40	24.80	25.60	26.40
Sugar ..	1 "	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.93	4.93	4.93	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.10	4.10	4.10	4.35	4.35	4.35
Rice ..	1 "	3.35	3.20	3.20	4.86	4.86	4.86	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.90	3.90	3.90
Sago ..	1 "	3.05	3.05	3.05	4.64	4.79	4.79	2.92	3.00	3.00	3.10	3.10	3.10	3.00	3.00	3.00
Jam, apricot ..	1 1/2 "	9.65	9.55	9.50	11.43	11.29	11.07	10.67	10.33	10.33	10.80	10.70	10.80	10.40	10.40	10.40
Golden Syrup ..	2 "	8.00	7.95	7.80	10.93	10.93	10.93	8.83	9.00	8.92	8.70	8.70	8.70	9.10	9.10	9.10
Oatmeal ..	1 "	2.96	2.96	2.96	3.59	3.59	3.59	3.17	3.17	3.17	3.20	3.30	3.50	3.44	3.64	3.64
Raisins, seeded ..	1 "	9.20	9.20	9.20	11.00	10.86	10.86	10.33	10.33	10.42	10.00	10.00	9.80	10.50	10.50	10.60
Currants ..	1 "	8.55	8.55	8.55	9.71	9.57	9.43	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.40	9.40	9.40	9.40	9.40	9.40
Apricots, dried ..	1 "	13.30	12.50	12.10	15.43	15.29	14.86	14.83	14.83	14.67	14.25	14.25	14.25	14.40	14.40	14.40
Peaches, canned ..	2 "	11.45	11.35	11.10	13.86	13.71	13.57	12.17	12.00	11.67	12.40	12.60	12.20	13.60	13.60	13.60
Pears, canned ..	2 "	11.85	11.05	11.60	13.86	13.86	14.00	12.50	12.33	12.17	13.00	13.20	12.80	14.00	14.00	14.00
Salmon, in tins ..	1 "	13.55	13.55	13.35	18.14	18.14	18.14	12.00	12.17	12.17	17.20	17.20	17.20	15.00	14.60	14.60
Potatoes ..	14 "	15.20	15.00	14.00	17.43	17.43	16.86	17.83	16.67	16.00	16.20	15.80	16.40	17.80	17.80	17.80
Onions ..	1 "	1.55	1.45	1.40	2.00	2.07	2.00	1.92	1.92	1.92	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.94	1.94	1.94
Soap, household ..	1 "	4.22	4.22	4.18	6.12	6.22	6.22	4.60	4.60	4.60	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.11	4.11	4.07
Candles ..	1 "	11.90	11.90	11.90	12.71	12.71	12.71	12.08	12.00	12.00	11.60	11.60	11.60	12.60	12.80	12.80
Kerosene ..	1 gal.	22.76	22.62	21.33	32.21	32.21	32.21	23.78	22.61	22.61	24.41	24.70	24.70	24.97	24.97	24.82
Dairy Produce—																
Milk, fresh ..	1 quart	6.80	6.75	6.75	10.00	10.00	10.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Butter, factory ..	1 lb.	15.40	15.70	16.35	18.14	17.86	18.43	18.00	17.83	18.33	16.00	16.80	17.40	18.00	17.80	17.80
Cheese, mild ..	1 "	11.40	11.35	11.35	12.29	12.29	12.57	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.20	12.00	12.00
Milk, condensed ..	1 tin	9.10	9.10	9.15	10.14	10.14	10.14	10.53	10.50	10.50	9.90	10.00	10.00	9.90	10.00	10.00
Eggs, fresh ..	1 doz.	13.30	13.20	11.75	19.21	17.00	13.50	15.33	11.67	11.33	16.20	12.60	9.20	15.20	12.60	10.00
Bacon, rashers ..	1 lb.	13.00	13.20	13.20	13.00	13.29	13.29	14.33	14.00	14.00	12.40	12.00	12.00	12.80	13.00	12.80
Ham, uncooked ..	1 "	15.80	15.90	16.00	15.71	15.86	15.71	16.67	16.33	16.33	15.00	14.80	14.80	16.00	15.80	16.00
Meat—																
Beef, sirloin ..	1 "	7.90	8.30	8.10	9.00	9.00	9.00	8.43	8.29	8.14	7.80	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
" ribs ..	1 "	6.65	7.00	6.70	7.29	7.29	7.29	7.00	7.00	6.86	6.80	7.00	7.00	6.75	6.75	6.75
" steak, rump ..	1 "	13.20	13.90	13.10	14.57	14.57	14.57	14.86	14.71	14.29	13.40	13.40	13.20	11.75	11.75	11.75
" stewing ..	1 "	7.10	7.30	6.85	7.57	7.57	7.57	8.29	8.00	8.00	8.00	7.60	7.60	7.75	7.50	7.50
" sausages ..	1 "	5.15	5.60	5.30	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.57	6.43	6.29	5.80	5.80	5.80	6.00	6.00	6.00
Beef, corned round ..	1 "	7.55	7.70	7.40	9.00	9.00	9.00	8.43	8.14	8.29	7.80	8.00	7.80	8.00	7.75	7.75
" brisket ..	1 "															
" with bone ..	1 "	4.28	4.17	3.78	5.14	5.14	5.14	5.33	5.00	5.00	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.25	4.75	4.75
Mutton, leg ..	1 "	5.75	5.95	5.60	6.29	6.29	6.29	6.57	6.29	6.00	7.00	7.00	6.60	6.00	5.75	5.75
" shoulder ..	1 "	4.20	4.20	3.85	5.14	5.14	5.14	4.71	4.64	4.43	5.20	5.20	5.20	4.88	4.75	4.75
" loin ..	1 "	5.50	5.60	5.40	7.43	7.43	7.43	5.57	5.29	5.29	6.40	6.40	6.40	5.00	5.00	5.00
" chops, loin ..	1 "	6.10	6.30	6.10	8.14	8.14	8.14	6.71	7.00	6.71	7.40	7.40	7.20	6.25	6.00	6.00
" leg ..	1 "	6.30	6.30	6.20	8.67	8.67	8.67	7.00	7.14	6.86	7.40	7.40	7.20	6.50	6.25	6.00
Pork, leg ..	1 "	9.05	9.00	8.95	10.43	10.43	10.71	8.57	8.57	8.43	7.60	7.80	7.60	8.00	8.00	8.00
" loin ..	1 "	8.85	8.85	8.75	10.14	10.14	10.14	8.14	8.14	8.14	7.60	7.40	7.40	7.75	7.50	7.50
" chops ..	1 "	9.00	9.10	9.00	11.00	11.00	11.29	8.43	8.57	8.43	8.20	8.20	8.00	8.75	8.75	8.75
" sausages ..	1 "	6.70	6.60	6.80	8.25	8.25	8.25	7.71	7.71	7.71	6.50	6.25	6.25	7.33	7.25	7.25
House Rents	4 and 5 rooms All houses	..	210.01	..	..	220.71	..	..	208.31	..	..	204.34	..	..	249.68	..
		..	218.56	..	..	205.01	..	..	188.00	..	..	177.25	..	..	219.56	..

**AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES RULING IN EACH OF THE FIVE PRINCIPAL TOWNS IN TASMANIA ON THE 15th OF THE MONTHS SPECIFIED  
FOR THE YEAR 1933; ALSO THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE WEEKLY HOUSE RENTS—QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1933.**

Article.	Unit.	HOBART.			LAUNCESTON.			BURNIE.			DEVONPORT.			QUEENSTOWN.		
		July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
Groceries, &c.—																
Bread ..	2 lb.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Flour, ordinary ..	25 "	38.60	38.45	37.40	34.57	32.93	32.93	34.80	34.20	34.20	32.90	32.70	32.10	36.20	36.60	35.40
" self-raising ..	2 "	5.90	5.85	5.85	5.86	5.93	6.00	6.80	6.80	6.70	6.20	6.20	6.00	7.20	7.10	7.20
Tea ..	1 "	23.70	24.40	25.50	23.71	24.86	25.86	25.20	25.80	26.20	24.10	24.70	25.70	26.00	26.40	27.00
Sugar ..	1 "	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00
Rice ..	1 "	3.65	3.65	3.60	3.29	3.29	3.29	3.80	3.80	3.70	3.60	3.60	3.50	3.90	3.90	3.90
Sago ..	1 "	2.40	3.40	3.40	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.30	3.30	3.30	3.40	3.40	3.30	3.90	3.90	3.90
Jam, apricot ..	1 1/2 "	11.00	10.90	10.80	10.36	10.29	10.29	11.60	11.90	11.60	11.40	11.00	11.40	12.00	12.00	11.40
Golden Syrup ..	2 "	7.80	7.75	7.80	7.79	7.57	7.57	8.90	8.60	8.40	8.00	7.70	7.70	9.30	9.10	9.10
Oatmeal ..	1 "	3.17	3.12	3.12	2.73	2.73	2.73	2.87	2.96	2.87	2.99	2.96	2.90	4.43	4.47	4.47
Raisins, seeded ..	1 "	9.40	9.45	9.45	8.93	8.93	8.79	9.50	9.50	9.60	9.50	9.60	9.60	10.70	10.30	9.90
Currants ..	1 "	9.05	9.05	9.05	8.64	8.79	8.79	8.90	8.90	8.90	8.70	8.70	8.70	9.30	9.20	9.20
Apricots, dried ..	1 "	14.29	14.00	13.86	14.00	13.43	13.29	14.20	13.00	13.00	14.00	13.60	13.40	15.00	15.00	16.00
Peaches, canned ..	2 "	11.30	10.25	9.45	10.36	9.21	8.07	12.20	11.10	9.60	11.30	10.90	9.80	12.40	11.30	11.10
Pears, canned ..	2 "	11.70	10.65	10.05	10.57	9.79	9.36	13.20	12.60	11.40	12.50	12.00	11.10	12.80	12.00	11.60
Salmon, in tins ..	1 "	13.80	13.80	13.80	13.71	13.71	13.71	17.20	17.20	17.20	12.20	12.20	12.20	17.80	17.60	17.80
Potatoes ..	14 "	12.80	12.30	12.20	10.83	8.67	8.17	12.10	12.10	11.10	14.20	12.40	12.00	17.80	20.12	19.80
Onions ..	1 "	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.06	1.13	1.04	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.40	1.30	1.20	1.90	1.90	1.90
Soap, household ..	1 "	4.93	4.83	4.75	4.14	4.07	4.14	5.60	5.60	5.55	5.47	5.47	5.40	5.73	5.53	5.73
Candles ..	1 "	11.25	11.15	11.30	11.00	11.00	11.07	12.00	12.00	12.00	11.60	11.50	11.50	12.60	12.20	12.60
Kerosene ..	1 gal.	27.10	27.10	27.10	25.14	25.14	25.14	26.60	26.60	26.00	27.70	27.70	27.10	34.60	34.60	36.31
Dairy Produce—																
Milk, fresh ..	1 quart	5.40	5.50	5.50	6.00	6.00	6.00	5.33	5.00	5.00	4.50	4.25	4.25	7.75	7.75	7.75
Butter, factory ..	1 lb.	15.50	16.05	16.15	16.00	16.29	16.57	16.40	16.60	17.00	16.40	15.33	16.67	16.00	16.40	16.80
Cheese, mild ..	1 "	10.70	11.20	11.35	10.14	10.29	10.29	11.20	11.40	12.40	12.00	12.00	11.80	12.40	12.40	12.40
Milk, condensed ..	1 tin	10.10	10.05	10.00	9.64	9.71	9.64	10.80	10.80	10.80	11.20	11.00	11.00	11.00	10.80	10.80
Eggs, fresh ..	1 doz.	16.00	12.40	9.80	14.86	12.07	8.36	13.20	11.00	8.40	12.20	9.00	7.20	17.00	16.60	14.00
Bacon, rashers ..	1 lb.	12.60	13.50	13.40	14.14	14.29	14.43	12.20	12.60	12.60	12.40	12.60	13.00	13.20	13.20	13.20
Ham, uncooked ..	1 "	14.00	14.67	14.67	15.00	15.00	15.00	12.00	12.50	12.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	13.20	13.20	13.00
Meat—																
Beef, sirloin ..	1 "	8.30	8.90	9.30	8.14	8.21	8.21	8.00	8.25	8.25	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.67	8.67	8.67
" ribs ..	1 "	6.40	7.10	7.60	6.50	6.93	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.33	7.33	7.33	7.67	7.67	7.67
" steak, rump ..	1 "	12.20	12.60	13.20	11.00	12.00	12.14	9.75	9.75	9.75	10.33	10.33	10.67	12.33	12.33	12.33
" stewing ..	1 "	6.30	7.00	7.00	6.00	6.43	6.57	7.50	7.75	7.75	7.00	7.00	7.33	7.33	7.33	7.33
" sausages ..	1 "	5.89	5.89	6.11	4.86	5.29	5.29	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.33	6.33	6.33
Beef, corned round ..	1 "	8.00	8.60	8.70	7.86	8.00	8.21	8.00	7.50	7.50	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33	8.33
" " brisket, ..	1 "	4.60	4.80	4.90	4.00	4.43	4.57	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.33	5.67	5.67	6.00	6.00	6.00
Mutton, leg ..	1 "	6.40	7.20	7.50	6.21	6.86	7.00	8.00	8.50	8.50	7.00	7.00	7.67	8.00	8.00	8.00
" shoulder ..	1 "	4.75	5.45	5.55	4.57	5.07	5.71	6.25	6.75	6.50	5.00	5.00	6.00	5.67	5.67	5.67
" loin ..	1 "	5.70	6.65	6.80	5.43	5.93	6.36	7.25	7.50	7.50	6.33	6.33	7.33	8.00	8.00	8.00
" chops, loin ..	1 "	7.80	8.50	8.50	7.57	8.14	8.57	8.50	8.75	8.75	8.33	8.33	9.33	8.00	8.00	8.00
" leg ..	1 "	8.20	9.00	9.10	7.57	8.14	8.57	8.50	8.50	8.75	8.00	8.33	8.67	8.00	8.00	8.00
Pork, leg ..	1 "	9.40	9.70	9.90	8.57	9.14	9.00	8.25	8.50	8.50	8.00	8.00	8.67	8.67	8.67	8.67
" loin ..	1 "	9.80	10.10	10.10	9.07	9.43	9.36	8.25	8.50	8.50	8.33	8.33	8.67	8.67	8.67	8.67
" chops ..	1 "	10.20	10.60	11.00	9.14	9.57	9.57	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.33	8.33	8.67	8.33	8.33	8.33
" sausages ..	1 "	9.11	9.11	9.11	9.20	9.20	9.20	8.00	8.00	8.00	7.00	7.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
House Rents																
House Rents	4 and 5 rooms All houses	..	228.03	..	..	204.05	..	..	178.76	..	..	179.44	..	..	186.30	..
		..	271.24	..	..	249.49	..	..	207.21	..	..	225.07	..	..	175.74	..



## Section VIII.—Wholesale Price Index-Numbers.

MELBOURNE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS, COMPUTED TO  
YEAR 1911 AS BASE (=1,000).

Year.	I. Metals and Coal.	II. Jute, Leather, Wool, &c.	III. Agricultural Produce, &c.	IV. Dairy Produce.	V. Groceries.	VI. Meat.	VII. Building Materials.	VIII. Chemicals.	All Groups.
1861 ..	1,438	1,381	1,583	1,008	1,963	..	1,070	2,030	1,538
1901 ..	1,061	774	928	1,029	1,048	1,345	841	917	974
1911 ..	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
1914 ..	1,099	1,032	1,207	1,137	1,021	1,507	1,081	1,253	1,149
1916 ..	1,695	1,423	1,208	1,455	1,322	2,515	1,491	1,760	1,504
1917 ..	2,129	2,008	1,157	1,423	1,348	2,403	1,884	2,171	1,662
1918 ..	2,416	2,360	1,444	1,454	1,422	2,385	2,686	3,225	1,934
1919 ..	2,125	2,363	1,985	1,651	1,516	2,343	2,851	2,898	2,056
1920 ..	2,298	2,624	2,439	2,209	1,918	3,279	3,226	2,825	2,480
1921 ..	2,173	1,362	1,767	2,000	1,976	2,158	2,733	2,803	1,903
1922 ..	1,942	1,681	1,628	1,648	1,869	1,787	2,005	1,965	1,758
1923 ..	1,826	1,781	1,778	1,837	1,746	2,579	2,025	1,933	1,944
1924 ..	1,835	2,418	1,647	1,655	1,721	2,223	1,815	1,806	1,885
1925 ..	1,852	1,967	1,797	1,636	1,723	2,212	1,711	1,790	1,844
1926 ..	1,938	1,582	2,001	1,784	1,731	1,931	1,665	1,816	1,832
1927 ..	1,962	1,650	1,826	1,823	1,724	2,111	1,624	1,866	1,817
1928 ..	1,912	1,781	1,726	1,751	1,707	2,015	1,744	1,923	1,792
1929 ..	1,912	1,556	1,792	1,853	1,690	2,246	1,754	1,942	1,803
1930 ..	1,866	1,127	1,484	1,627	1,666	2,025	1,875	1,932	1,596
1931 ..	1,826	1,039	1,121	1,399	1,794	1,508	2,025	2,166	1,428
1932 ..	1,736	1,000	1,230	1,303	1,767	1,348	2,043	2,127	1,411
1929-30 ..	1,910	1,339	1,756	1,800	1,678	2,173	1,803	1,952	1,745
1930-31 ..	1,845	1,061	1,234	1,473	1,731	1,734	1,950	2,080	1,432
1931-32 ..	1,767	978	1,188	1,334	1,778	1,469	2,041	2,166	1,417
1932-33 ..	1,726	1,030	1,186	1,237	1,729	1,281	2,066	2,112	1,385
April ..	1,917	1,207	1,594	1,798	1,675	2,004	1,863	1,958	1,662
May ..	1,917	1,255	1,598	1,788	1,669	2,111	1,915	1,958	1,633
June ..	1,837	1,172	1,600	1,784	1,669	2,096	1,909	1,968	1,657
July ..	1,837	1,122	1,569	1,702	1,677	2,217	1,887	1,968	1,644
August ..	1,837	1,086	1,508	1,605	1,659	2,318	1,914	1,973	1,620
September ..	1,824	984	1,384	1,503	1,648	2,105	1,895	1,973	1,532
October ..	1,812	997	1,330	1,424	1,650	1,785	1,908	2,033	1,479
November ..	1,836	964	1,231	1,346	1,666	1,717	1,911	2,033	1,437
December ..	1,832	970	1,162	1,337	1,648	1,564	1,901	2,059	1,399
January ..	1,890	974	1,162	1,424	1,811	1,689	1,925	2,059	1,454
February ..	1,868	998	1,105	1,492	1,841	1,455	1,992	2,161	1,448
March ..	1,868	1,170	1,086	1,522	1,814	1,471	1,996	2,161	1,456
April ..	1,885	1,173	1,081	1,454	1,789	1,471	1,996	2,177	1,447
May ..	1,825	1,147	1,091	1,438	1,785	1,494	2,038	2,177	1,440
June ..	1,823	1,050	1,093	1,433	1,780	1,527	2,038	2,179	1,425
July ..	1,823	1,049	1,095	1,362	1,782	1,571	2,112	2,179	1,428
August ..	1,810	914	1,097	1,336	1,769	1,583	2,091	2,179	1,399
September ..	1,810	866	1,115	1,322	1,779	1,550	2,051	2,180	1,391
October ..	1,770	942	1,132	1,388	1,791	1,469	2,023	2,180	1,402
November ..	1,770	1,040	1,199	1,334	1,795	1,431	2,008	2,180	1,428
December ..	1,770	1,056	1,197	1,275	1,792	1,432	2,026	2,180	1,426
January ..	1,757	1,051	1,206	1,247	1,783	1,885	1,984	2,183	1,414
February ..	1,743	1,079	1,280	1,317	1,788	1,413	1,998	2,188	1,449
March ..	1,742	1,038	1,245	1,344	1,767	1,477	2,009	2,185	1,438
April ..	1,742	963	1,233	1,414	1,762	1,504	2,019	2,120	1,431
May ..	1,734	893	1,228	1,370	1,765	1,429	2,076	2,120	1,408
June ..	1,737	842	1,231	1,297	1,764	1,387	2,083	2,120	1,390
July ..	1,734	885	1,252	1,331	1,760	1,329	2,049	2,120	1,397
August ..	1,731	999	1,269	1,311	1,764	1,301	2,060	2,030	1,415
September ..	1,727	1,120	1,270	1,319	1,754	1,314	2,067	2,117	1,441
October ..	1,725	1,052	1,223	1,286	1,761	1,247	2,039	2,117	1,404
November ..	1,729	1,038	1,183	1,221	1,766	1,199	2,066	2,117	1,382
December ..	1,731	1,018	1,145	1,194	1,764	1,222	2,069	2,117	1,367
January ..	1,733	1,022	1,107	1,179	1,688	1,211	2,083	2,124	1,344
February ..	1,736	1,006	1,084	1,163	1,692	1,179	2,078	2,124	1,330
March ..	1,732	997	1,101	1,143	1,694	1,190	2,064	2,121	1,333
April ..	1,731	1,010	1,152	1,187	1,692	1,248	2,056	2,119	1,358
May ..	1,703	1,085	1,230	1,247	1,700	1,344	2,068	2,118	1,406
June ..	1,703	1,133	1,214	1,272	1,707	1,584	2,094	2,114	1,439
July ..	1,707	1,200	1,231	1,196	1,720	1,647	2,047	2,113	1,455
August ..	1,704	1,172	1,220	1,233	1,737	1,766	2,043	2,113	1,464
September ..	1,710	1,192	1,189	1,283	1,737	1,934	2,043	2,081	1,481



## STATISTICS OF BUSINESS CONDITIONS—AUSTRALIA.

Month.	Imports, Merchandise and silver.	Exports, Merchandise and silver.	Gold production. (d)	Excess of exports and gold production over imports— cumulative totals.	Indexes of Iron and Steel Production (Newcastle only) Monthly Average 1928 = 1,000.		Factory butter production.	Gold production (d).	Recorded sales under Sales Tax Act, taxable and exempt. (a)
					Plg Iron.	Ingot Steel.			
1931.	£000 stg.	£000 stg.	£000 stg.	£000 stg.			lbs. 000.	fine oz.	£000
October ..	3,808	7,094	823	6,390	834	407	35,873	60,723	31,260
November ..	3,563	7,743	853	10,933	441	473	39,888	64,010	30,470
December ..	3,651	8,448	854	16,034	461	353	46,043	57,869	30,493
1932.									
January ..	3,823	7,192	805	20,258	509	434	39,217	50,674	26,214
February ..	3,410	7,617	812	24,777	567	597	31,726	52,195	28,547
March ..	3,788	7,530	816	28,835	662	661	28,096	55,469	29,184
April ..	4,050	7,181	315	32,281	674	671	28,621	57,134	30,216
May ..	3,966	6,075	341	34,731	678	708	28,807	60,494	27,799
June ..	4,271	4,230	326	c35,022	699	801	25,556	57,490	27,012
July ..	4,537	3,972	350	— 215	802	860	22,789	61,041	24,445
August ..	5,371	3,078	351	— 2,157	895	905	25,335	59,910	28,458
September ..	5,133	6,384	371	— 535	895	901	31,661	63,370	30,309
October ..	5,307	7,251	357	1,766	899	893	43,840	59,538	29,738
November ..	5,663	8,274	418	4,795	870	808	47,939	67,279	30,568
December ..	4,376	8,282	430	9,131	854	710	46,799	69,290	31,275
1933.									
January ..	4,607	7,019	334	11,877	813	591	38,114	55,246	24,358
February ..	4,367	8,930	350	16,790	865	915	38,430	57,947	26,018
March ..	4,535	8,582	372	21,209	910	1,014	34,389	61,875	26,187
April ..	4,168	6,555	450	24,046	925	1,019	26,453	74,541	25,246
May ..	4,194	5,975	407	26,234	940	1,027	23,425	65,914	27,519
June ..	4,531	4,393	430	c26,526	932	996	18,605	70,260	27,407
July ..	4,321	5,135	449	1,263	887	1,012	17,748	72,375	..
August ..	4,360	4,616	443	1,462	896	1,040	..	70,431	..
September ..	4,889	8,096	511	5,180	955	1,223	..	77,795	..

(a) Includes Imports taxable at Customs House. Not adjusted to allow for the effects of legislative changes.  
 (b) Particulars for this and subsequent months are subject to considerable revision, and are not comparable directly with those shown above.  
 (c) Total for full fiscal year.  
 (d) Partially estimated.

Month.	Building Permits— Capital Cities and Suburbs.		Bank Clearings, six Capitals (excluding Treasury Bills transactions). (b)	Savings Bank deposits, Aus- tralia.	Bankruptcies (a) Australia.		Sterling- dollar exchange rates (average of daily rates).	Short-term debt, Commonwealth and States.	
	Number of new buildings and dwell- ings.	Value of new buildings, dwellings and altera- tions and additions.			Number.	Gross Liabili- ties.		Australia.	London.
1931.	Number.	£000	£000	£000		£000	\$ to £ stg.	£A000	£ stg. 000
October ..	815	252.4	30,776	194,611	231	497	3.886	32,725	38,075
November ..	806	239.7	31,155	195,494	217	422	3.719	34,520	38,078
December ..	269	216.1	28,995	194,515	198	342	3.872	39,760	37,825
1932.									
January ..	317	370.0	25,615	194,534	155	425	3.430	40,820	37,825
February ..	404	337.6	29,737	193,988	270	861	3.450	41,270	37,825
March ..	371	414.9	25,625	193,526	320	774	3.634	43,425	37,575
April ..	343	626.8	29,518	192,574	268	376	3.752	42,675	37,575
May ..	476	427.9	23,531	192,399	256	753	3.676	41,340	37,575
June ..	408	473.0	27,423	197,966	194	715	3.649	44,990	37,825
July ..	469	468.0	30,604	197,405	161	273	3.552	43,035	34,375
August ..	469	498.5	26,892	197,539	199	309	3.476	47,930	34,375
September ..	565	514.2	27,825	197,802	163	263	3.471	51,225	34,375
October ..	555	705.6	32,840	198,103	140	274	3.399	51,825	34,375
November ..	540	502.0	30,399	198,043	144	291	3.277	50,485	34,375
December ..	442	467.9	32,931	197,117	128	206	3.276	50,845	34,375
1933.									
January ..	422	431.3	27,427	198,067	118	139	3.372	51,085	34,375
February ..	434	408.0	32,055	198,355	188	904	3.422	50,655	34,375
March ..	579	552.7	29,053	198,225	325	817	3.436	51,845	32,166
April ..	444	568.3	29,338	197,343	230	600	3.587	52,670	34,375
May ..	551	799.7	30,649	197,496	200	452	3.933	49,540	34,375
June ..	613	883.4	29,097	202,282	137	434	4.141	49,875	34,125
July ..	535	745.2	32,042	202,337	(c) 166	(c) 445	4.643	46,960	34,125
August ..	..	..	26,197	202,657	(c) 194	(c) 231	4.518	46,970	34,125
September ..	..	..	29,925	202,641	(c) 193	(c) 275	4.662	50,700	34,125

(a) Sequestrations, Compositions and Deeds of Arrangement. (b) Average for four or five weekly periods ending the last Monday in each month. (c) Subject to slight alteration.

## Statistics of Business Conditions—Australia—continued.

Month.	Retail Price Index Numbers, Food and Groceries, six Capitals.	Retail Price Index Numbers, Food, Groceries and Rent (all Houses), six Capitals.	Retail Price Index Numbers, Food, Rent (4 and 5 rooms), Clothing and Miscellaneous.	Whole-sale Price Index Numbers (all groups). Melbourne.	Wool Prices.		Wheat—shippers' price, f.o.r. Williams-town.	Butter—average Australian export values.	Price of gold (export parity).
					Brokers' realization price, greasy wool, all centres. (a)	Greasy merino—standard average, Sydney. (b)			
	Year 1928 = 1000.	Year 1928 = 1000.	Year 1928 = 1000.	Year 1928 = 1000.	pence per lb.	pence per lb.	pence per bushel	pence per lb.	£a per oz.
1931.									
October ..	813	810	839	782	8.47	9.0	31.44	12.9	6.822
November ..	821			797	9.90	9.7	39.81	12.4	7.109
December ..	817			795	9.36	8.5	38.50	11.3	7.584
1932.									
January ..	823	815	838	789	8.86	8.9	37.13	10.9	7.431
February ..	838			809	9.46	8.7	37.88	11.1	7.358
March ..	834			802	8.48	7.9	36.81	11.8	7.043
April ..	833	806	830	799	7.48	7.5	36.94	12.0	6.800
May ..	821			786	6.48	7.4	37.75	11.2	6.964
June ..	813			776	5.92	7.3	36.25	10.9	6.997
July ..	809	793	816	780	5.96	8.0	36.25	11.4	7.159
August ..	804			790	8.04	8.5	38.88	11.7	7.31
September ..	799			804	8.87	9.1	40.00	12.1	7.323
October ..	794	774	804	783	8.54	8.5	37.19	11.6	7.492
November ..	772			771	8.53	8.2	35.44	10.3	7.760
December ..	767			763	8.43	8.4	32.81	9.5	7.761
1933									
January ..	754	760	793	750	9.25	8.6	32.75	9.4	7.560
February ..	749			742	8.80	8.0	31.89	8.8	7.450
March ..	740			744	8.47	7.8	31.63	8.1	7.425
April ..	753	763	797	758	8.36	7.9	33.06	7.7	7.446
May ..	758			785	8.76	8.8	36.19	8.4	7.615
June ..	768			803	9.83	10.0	36.88	9.4	7.548
July ..	763	770	..	812	8.04	11.4	40.06	9.4	7.653
August ..	776			817	12.45	11.6	38.31	9.7	7.758
September ..	776			826	13.55	13.1	35.56	11.3	8.107

(a) Average prices realized for all greasy wool of whatever type or quality marketed during the month.

(b) Compiled by the New South Wales Government Statistician.

Quarters.	Index Numbers of Nominal Wages, Adult Males.	Index Numbers of Real Wages, Adult Males.	Trade Union Unemployment Percentages, Australia.	Ratio of Cash to Liabilities.		Ratio of Advances and Securities to Total Deposits, other cheque-paying banks. (a)	Deposits not bearing interest, all cheque-paying banks. (a)	Deposits bearing interest, all cheque-paying banks. (a)	Ratio non-interest bearing to total deposits, all cheque-paying banks. (a)
				Common-wealth Bank.	Other cheque-paying banks. (a)				
	Year 1928 = 1000.	Year 1928 = 1000.	%	%	%	%	£000	£000	%
1930.									
4th Quarter	981	1,069	23.4	15.2	14.6	106.3	94,618	199,151	32.2
1931.									
1st Quarter..	924	1,052	25.8	13.3	17.9	102.6	92,127	199,421	31.6
2nd " ..	899	1,054	27.6	8.4	19.6	101.1	89,792	201,044	30.9
3rd " ..	884	1,075	28.3	9.6	17.0	105.9	87,282	201,427	30.2
4th " ..	863	1,065	28.0	12.8	14.9	100.4	96,600	205,553	32.0
1932.									
1st Quarter..	856	1,050	28.3	9.5	18.3	95.0	102,051	222,055	31.5
2nd " ..	852	1,057	30.0	10.7	17.8	98.1	96,437	222,804	30.2
3rd " ..	819	1,033	29.6	13.4	14.8	103.9	88,611	218,279	28.9
4th " ..	814	1,052	28.1	12.3	14.7	103.9	93,783	221,823	29.7
1933.									
1st Quarter..	807	1,062	26.5	9.9	15.3	102.4	96,693	223,162	30.2
2nd " ..	813	1,066	25.7	10.1	14.6	104.1	95,800	223,976	30.0
3rd " ..	(b)	(b)	25.1	10.3	14.5	106.8	92,514	220,127	29.6

(a) Excludes Government Savings Bank of New South Wales (Rural Bank Department). (b) Not yet available.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY—AUSTRALIA.

Heading.	Years.						
	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1932.
<b>Population (a)</b>							
Males	928,918	1,247,059	1,736,617	2,004,836	2,382,232	2,798,727	3,346,637
Females	771,970	1,059,677	1,504,368	1,820,077	2,191,554	2,710,346	3,228,616
Total	1,700,888	2,306,736	3,240,985	3,824,913	4,573,786	5,509,073	6,575,253
<b>Births</b>							
No.	63,625	80,004	110,187	102,945	122,193	136,198	110,933
Rate	38.00	35.26	34.47	27.16	27.21	24.95	16.94
<b>Deaths</b>							
No.	22,175	33,327	47,430	46,330	47,869	54,076	56,755
Rate	13.24	14.69	14.84	12.22	10.66	9.91	8.66
<b>Marriages</b>							
No.	11,623	17,244	23,862	27,753	39,482	46,869	43,634
Rate	6.94	7.60	7.47	7.32	8.79	8.59	6.66
	1871-72.	1881-82.	1891-92.	1901-02.	1911-12.	1921-22.	1931-32.
<b>Agriculture—</b>							
<b>Wheat</b>							
Area, acs.	1,279,778	3,002,064	3,335,528	5,115,965	7,427,834	9,719,042	14,741,813
Yld., bush.	11,917,741	21,443,862	25,075,265	38,561,619	71,636,347	129,088,806	190,612,188
Av., "	9.31	7.16	7.70	7.54	9.64	13.28	12.93
<b>Oats</b>							
Area, acs.	225,492	194,816	246,129	461,430	616,794	733,406	1,085,489
Yld., bush.	4,251,630	4,795,897	5,726,256	9,789,854	9,561,833	12,147,433	15,194,680
Av., "	18.85	24.62	23.27	21.22	15.60	16.56	14.00
<b>Barley</b>							
Area, acs.	48,164	75,864	68,068	74,511	116,466	298,910	342,396
Yld., bush.	726,158	1,353,380	1,178,560	1,519,819	2,056,836	6,085,685	6,290,672
Av., "	15.08	17.84	17.31	20.40	17.66	20.36	18.37
<b>Maize</b>							
Area, acs.	142,078	165,777	284,428	294,489	340,065	305,186	269,448
Yld., bush.	4,576,635	5,726,266	9,261,922	7,034,786	8,939,855	7,840,438	7,062,383
Av., "	32.21	34.54	32.56	23.86	26.29	25.69	26.21
<b>Hay</b>							
Area, acs.	303,274	768,388	942,166	1,688,402	2,518,351	2,994,519	2,634,680
Yld., tons	875,871	767,194	1,067,255	2,024,608	2,867,973	3,902,189	3,167,459
Av., "	1.24	1.00	1.13	1.20	1.14	1.30	1.20
<b>Potatoes (b)</b>							
Area, acs.	67,911	76,265	112,884	109,685	130,463	149,144	145,111
Yld., tons	212,896	243,216	380,477	322,524	301,489	388,091	397,102
Av., "	3.13	3.19	3.37	2.94	2.31	2.60	2.74
<b>Sugar Cane (c)</b>							
Area, acs.	11,576	19,708	45,444	86,950	101,010	128,350	241,576
Yld., tons	176,632	349,627	737,573	1,367,802	1,682,250	2,436,890	4,213,453
Av., "	15.25	17.74	16.23	15.73	16.65	18.99	17.44
<b>Vineyards</b>							
Area, acs.	16,253	14,570	48,882	63,677	60,602	92,414	112,961
Wine, gal.	2,104,000	1,488,000	3,438,000	5,816,087	4,975,147	8,542,573	14,190,522
<b>Total value all agricultural production</b>	£ 8,941,000	£ 15,519,000	£ 16,988,000	£ 23,835,000	£ 38,774,000	£ 81,890,000	£ 74,489,000
<b>Pastoral, dairying, &amp;c.—</b>							
<b>Live Stock</b>							
Sheep No.	40,072,955	65,092,719	106,421,068	72,040,211	96,886,234	86,119,068	110,618,893
Cattle	4,277,288	8,010,991	11,112,112	8,491,428	11,828,954	14,441,309	12,260,955
Horses	701,530	1,088,022	1,584,737	1,620,420	2,278,226	2,438,182	1,775,550
Pigs	586,017	703,188	845,888	931,309	1,110,721	960,385	1,167,845
<b>Wool prod. lb. (greasy)</b>	179,000,000	322,759,000	631,587,000	543,131,661	721,298,288	721,678,346	1,006,630,847
<b>Butter production lb.</b>	d	d	42,314,585	103,747,295	212,073,745	267,071,340	390,654,070
<b>Cheese production "</b>	d	d	10,130,945	11,845,153	15,886,712	32,653,003	31,422,973
<b>Bacon and ham "</b>	d	d	16,771,886	34,020,629	53,335,092	58,626,469	71,121,740
<b>Total estimated value of pastoral and dairying production</b>	£ 20,736,000	£ 29,538,000	£ 39,256,000	£ 36,890,000	£ 72,883,000	£ 119,399,000	£ 103,018,000
	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1932.
<b>Mineral production—</b>							
Gold	7,916,627	5,194,390	5,281,861	14,017,538	10,551,624	4,018,685	5,211,802
Silver and lead	36,046	45,622	3,736,352	2,248,598	8,022,177	1,539,992	2,399,323
Copper	830,242	714,003	867,373	2,215,431	2,564,278	803,957	530,542
Tin	24,020	1,145,889	560,502	448,234	1,209,973	418,418	302,086
Zinc	369	200	2,979	4,067	1,415,169	283,455	155,928
Coal (black)	330,510	637,865	1,912,353	2,602,793	3,927,360	10,983,757	5,693,274
<b>Total value of all mineral production</b>	£ 9,190,330	£ 7,820,290	£ 12,074,106	£ 21,816,772	£ 23,302,878	£ 19,977,384	£ 15,594,850
<b>Forestry production—</b>							
Quantity of local timber							
sawn or hewn							
1,000 sup. ft.	d	d	d	452,131	604,794	590,495	236,707
<b>Manufactories—</b>							
No. of factories							
Hands employed							
Wages paid							
Value of production							
Total value of output							
	f	f	f	f	14,455	18,023	21,657
					311,710	378,540	336,658
					27,528,377	68,050,861	55,931,818
					51,259,004	121,674,119	110,981,839
					133,022,090	320,331,765	281,645,795

(a) At 31st December.

(b) Partly estimated for 1871 and 1881.

(c) Area of productive cane.

(d) Information not available.  
ended June.(e) Years ended December, except for last column which refers to year.  
(f) Owing to variation in classification, and lack of information, effective comparison is impossible.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA—continued

Heading.	Years.						
	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921-22.	1931-32.
Shipping—							
Oversea vessels } No. 2,748 3,284 3,778 4,023 4,174 3,111 3,057							
ent. & cleared } ton. 1,312,642 2,549,364 4,726,307 6,541,991 9,984,801 9,081,278 11,395,784							
Commerce—							
Imports, oversea £ 17,017,000 29,067,000 37,711,000 42,434,000 66,967,488 103,066,436 a 44,712,868							
„ per head £ 10/3/3 12/16/2 11/16/0 11/3/11 14/18/2 18/14/1 6/17/0							
Exports, oversea £ 21,725,000 27,528,000 36,043,000 49,696,000 79,482,258 127,846,535 a 85,002,631							
„ per head £ 12/19/6 12/2/8 11/5/6 13/2/2 17/13/10 23/4/1 18/0/6							
Total oversea trade £ 38,742,000 56,595,000 73,754,000 92,130,000 146,449,746 230,912,971 a 129,715,499							
per head £ 23/2/9 24/18/10 23/1/6 24/6/1 32/12/0 41/18/2 19/17/6							
Customs and excise £ (b) 4,809,326 7,440,869 8,656,530 13,515,005 27,565,199 28,524,996							
duties .. £ (b) 2/2/5 2/6/7 2/5/8 2/19/2 5/0/1 4/7/5							
per head £							
Principal Oversea Exports (c)—							
Wool } lb. (greasy) 176,685,800 328,369,200 619,259,800 518,018,100 720,364,900 927,833,700 893,620,559							
„ } cental 9,459,629 13,173,026 19,940,029 15,237,454 28,071,193 47,977,044 32,102,246							
Wheat } £ 479,954 3,218,792 5,876,875 12,156,035 33,088,704 59,968,334 76,440,603							
„ } £ 193,732 1,189,762 1,938,864 2,774,643 9,641,608 28,644,155 19,220,203							
Flour } tons £ 12,988 49,549 33,363 96,814 175,891 359,784 610,858							
„ } £ 170,415 519,635 328,423 589,604 1,391,529 5,519,881 3,833,237							
Butter } lb. 1,812,700 1,298,800 4,239,500 34,607,400 101,722,100 127,347,400 201,639,404							
„ } £ 45,813 39,383 206,868 1,451,168 4,637,362 7,968,078 9,812,827							
Skins and hides £ 100,123 316,878 873,695 1,250,938 3,227,236 3,136,810 2,314,279							
Tallow .. £ 914,278 644,149 571,069 677,745 1,935,836 1,441,795 831,415							
Meats .. £ 566,780 362,965 460,894 2,611,244 4,803,159 5,542,102 6,368,245							
Timber (undressed) £ 42,586 118,117 38,448 731,301 1,023,960 1,158,166 428,433							
Gold £ 7,184,833 6,445,365 5,703,532 14,315,741 12,045,766 3,483,239 11,892,672							
Silver and lead £ 37,891 57,654 1,932,278 2,250,253 3,212,584 2,697,130 2,860,570							
Copper .. £ 598,538 670,515 417,687 1,619,145 2,345,961 705,358 469,184							
Coal .. £ 134,355 361,081 645,972 986,957 900,022 1,099,898 341,800							
Govt. Railways—							
Lgh. of line open, mls. £ 970 3,832 9,541 12,579 16,078 23,502 28,959							
Capital cost £ 19,269,786 42,741,350 99,764,090 123,223,779 152,194,603 244,353,233 323,365,450							
Gross revenue £ 1,102,050 3,910,122 8,654,085 11,038,468 17,847,837 38,194,630 37,579,965							
Working expenses £ 608,352 2,141,735 5,630,182 7,133,617 10,945,727 20,817,970 28,141,984							
Per cent. of working expenses on earnings % 55.17 54.77 65.06 64.63 61.33 78.07 74.88							
Postal—							
Letters and postcards dealt with No. 24,382,000 67,640,000 157,297,000 220,853,000 453,063,000 561,973,105 d 731,134,500							
„ per head „ 14.54 29.61 49.07 58.26 100.90 102.01 111.62							
Newspapers dealt with No. 3,336,000 38,063,000 85,280,000 102,727,000 141,633,000 140,477,184 139,502,100							
„ per head „ 7.95 16.66 26.61 27.10 31.54 25.60 21.30							
Cheque-paying Banks—							
Note circulation £ 2,456,487 3,978,711 4,417,269 3,399,462 3,718,458 (f) 213,868 197,121							
Coin & bullion held £ 6,168,869 9,108,243 16,712,923 19,780,528 33,470,770 21,626,832 2,882,026							
Advances .. £ 26,039,573 57,732,824 129,741,583 86,352,832 105,678,774 193,435,760 260,917,515							
Deposits .. £ 21,856,959 53,849,455 98,345,338 91,487,148 143,446,910 273,866,737 h 319,241,833							
Savings Banks(i)—							
Total deposits £ 3,193,285 7,854,480 15,536,592 30,882,645 59,393,682 154,396,051 197,966,808							
Aver. per head of population £ 1/18/9 3/10/5 4/18/7 8/3/0 13/8/5 28/0/4 30/4/7							
						1921.	1931.
State Schools—							
Number of Schools 2,502 4,494 6,231 7,012 8,060 9,445 10,097							
Teachers .. No. 4,641 9,023 12,564 14,500 16,971 26,120 33,762							
Enrolment 236,710 432,320 561,153 638,478 638,550 819,042 938,901							
Aver. attendance „ 137,767 255,143 350,773 450,246 463,799 666,498 817,262							

(a) British currency values. The corresponding recorded values were, Imports £44,712,868, and Exports £107,967,143. (b) Not available. (c) Australian produce, except gold, which includes re-exports.

(d) Includes packets. (e) Figures for the first three years are averages for the December quarter; the remainder for the June quarter. (f) Decrease due to prohibition of re-issue. (g) Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank Deposits. (h) Government "Set off" accounts, Interstate (Commonwealth Bank) excluded.

(i) First three years—at 31st December, remainder, 30th June.



## COMPARATIVE INDEX-NUMBERS FOR THE SIX CAPITAL CITIES COMBINED.

† Base—Weighted Average for Six Capitals 1911 = 100.

Period.	Food and Groceries.	Rent.		Food and Rent.		All Items of House-hold Expenditure.	Wholesale Prices Melbourne.	Nominal Wages Adult Males.	Real Wages.	Percentage of Unemployment among Trade Unionists.
		All Houses.	4 and 5 Rooms.	All Houses.	4 and 5 Rooms.					
Year—										%
1911 ..	100	100	100	100	100	*	100	100	100	4.7
1913 ..	110	112	*	110	*	*	109	108	98	6.5
1914 ..	114	114	108	114	112	(a) 100	115	108	95	8.3
1921 ..	190	140	141	170	172	147	190	183	108	11.2
1928 ..	176	176	174	176	176	147	179	196	112	10.8
1929 ..	187	176	175	182	182	150	180	197	108	11.1
1930 ..	168	169	171	168	169	142	160	194	115	19.3
1931 ..	148	148	147	148	148	127	143	175	119	27.4
1932 ..	143	137	134	140	139	121	141	164	117	29.0
Quarter—										
1923.										
1st Qtr.	168	152	154	162	163	*	185	178	110	7.2
2nd "	182	155	155	171	172	*	196	179	105	7.1
3rd "	190	156	156	176	177	*	200	181	103	7.4
4th "	182	157	157	171	172	*	197	184	108	6.6
1924.										
1st Qtr.	178	158	159	170	171	*	195	184	108	7.6
2nd "	174	161	162	169	169	*	188	184	109	8.3
3rd "	171	162	162	167	167	*	185	184	110	9.5
4th "	171	163	164	167	168	*	187	184	110	10.3
1925.										
1st Qtr.	174	163	164	169	170	144	185	184	109	9.3
2nd "	178	163	165	172	173	145	183	185	108	10.2
3rd "	181	162	164	173	175	146	185	187	108	7.9
4th "	181	164	165	174	175	146	186	189	109	8.1
1926.										
1st Qtr.	181	172	167	177	176	146	184	189	107	8.2
2nd "	189	173	168	182	181	149	189	190	104	6.7
3rd "	182	173	168	178	177	147	183	192	108	7.6
4th "	180	173	168	177	176	146	176	194	110	5.7
1927.										
1st Qtr.	178	172	167	176	174	145	174	194	111	5.9
2nd "	176	172	168	174	173	145	174	194	111	6.4
3rd "	179	175	169	177	176	146	188	194	110	6.7
4th "	182	175	169	179	177	147	190	196	109	8.9
1928.										
1st Qtr.	177	177	174	177	176	147	184	197	111	10.7
2nd "	178	176	175	177	177	148	182	196	111	11.2
3rd "	175	175	174	175	174	147	176	196	112	11.4
4th "	175	175	174	175	174	147	174	196	112	9.9
1929.										
1st Qtr.	186	176	176	182	182	150	179	196	108	9.3
2nd "	187	176	175	182	182	150	179	198	109	10.0
3rd "	187	176	175	182	182	150	183	198	109	12.1
4th "	187	176	175	183	183	150	180	197	108	13.1
1930.										
1st Qtr.	175	175	178	175	176	147	168	197	113	14.6
2nd "	173	172	174	173	174	145	167	196	113	18.5
3rd "	167	166	169	167	168	141	160	194	116	20.5
4th "	157	160	163	158	159	135	144	189	119	23.4
1931.										
1st Qtr.	154	156	156	155	155	132	145	181	117	25.8
2nd "	150	151	150	150	150	128	144	176	118	27.6
3rd "	144	146	145	145	144	125	141	174	120	28.3
4th "	144	141	138	143	142	123	142	169	119	28.0
1932.										
1st Qtr.	147	139	136	144	143	123	143	168	117	28.3
2nd "	145	138	134	142	141	122	141	167	118	30.0
3rd "	142	137	133	140	138	120	142	161	115	29.6
4th "	137	136	131	136	135	118	138	160	117	28.1
1933.										
1st Qtr.	132	136	132	133	131	116	134	159	119	26.5
2nd "	134	135	131	134	133	117	140	160	119	25.7
3rd "	136	136	131	136	134	..	..	..	..	25.1

(a) Base November, 1914.

\* Not available.

† The index-numbers given in the separate parts of the table cannot be compared with each other in order to show the relative cost of (say) housing, and food and groceries, since the cost in 1911 in each group or combination is made equal to 100.